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THE CANVASS.

Great Ratification Meetings Last Evening.

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Speeches by Mayor Hall, Fernando Wood and Many Others.

THE BROOKLYN REPUBLICANS.

Enthusiastic Mass Meeting—State and Local Nominations Ratified—Speeches of Hon. Stewart L. Woodford, Hon. Horace Greeley, Hon. John Oakey, Hon. William H. Burleigh and Others.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Republicans of Brooklyn was held in Continental Hall, Washington-street, last evening, Hon. STEWART L. WOODFORD presiding. After the applause with which the speakers were greeted as they took their seats on the platform had subsided, General WOODFORD came forward.

SPEECH OF GENERAL WOODFORD.

FELLOW-CITIZENS: I thank you for the honor of presiding to-night, and for this opportunity of speaking a few earnest and, I trust, practical words for our cause and candidates. We are doubly fortunate in this canvass. For, while our cause commends itself to patriotic and intelligent men by its advocacy of liberty, justice, economy and honesty, our candidates in their lives and teachings illustrate the ideas around which our party has chrystallized. It sometimes happens that a good cause suffers because it is advocated and championed by corrupt, designing and selfish men. Judas still carries the bag and men still follow the master, not because of the truth, but for the loaves and fishes wherewith they are fed. But to-day we are fortunate both in platform and men. After complimenting the candidates and referring to the criticisms that had been made upon General GRANT and his Administration, Mr. WOODFORD said: Were the President a trained and practiced politician he should not waste one moment or one word on them. But against his will and desire, we, the people, forced him from a profession which he loved and which he had so wondrously honored, and because we felt that we had need of his cool common sense, his tenacity of purpose, and his great and resolute honesty in the White House, we compelled him to be our President. His fame and fitness for the place are therefore our concern. He went into that high office, absolutely without any effort of his own. It is our pleasure now to vindicate the wisdom of the unerring popular instinct which placed him there. "His Cabinet is composed of new and untried men." Possibly. But is not their work done well and promptly? "He spent the Summer in travel and recreation." Sensible President. He escaped alike the mosquitoes of the Potomac and the place-seekers of the land. He got away from the surroundings and the influences of the capital, and went among the people. I would that more of our public men had the rare good sense to go among the people, and measure the policies and theories of Governments by the popular instinct and will. "And lastly, that he, or those near to him in family or in personal regard, were concerned in the recent gold speculations in Wall street." First, as to those "near to him in family or in personal regard." I do not propose to discuss their conduct, or the evidence alleged for or against them. If any man has degraded either his family relationship to our President, or the personal friendship in which he may have been held by the President, or the opportunities of high office with which he may have been honored by the President, and has used these means as capital for speculation, such a man has not merely violated his trust, but he has wretchedly sullied his manhood. The truth upon these matters cannot be hidden. It must come out, and then let the condemnation fall, no matter whom it blights. But as the attempt to drag the President's wife into this discussion, upon such slight evidence as has been by any suggested, it is unmanly and indecent, unworthy of the chivalry, and high-toned and reverential courtesy which every true man owes to womanhood. And now as to the President himself. If he has any connection with these speculations in gold and bonds, there was little need for such roundabout instrumentalities as his opponents have suggested. There was no need to waylay and to seek to trap him upon a Boston steamboat, and only to be rebuffed. There was no need to address to him and to his Secretary of the Treasury long arguments as to the necessities of the grain growers and forwarders, and only to be met by the simple, straightforward reply that the Government would do whatever should most tend to economy of expenditure and reduction of the debt. There was no need to parley with a brother-in-law and to read at second hand the anxious letters of a loving wife. There was no need to dog the President, by special messenger, from town to town. There was no need to seek to bribe a private secretary and then only to have the bribe indignantly spit upon. There was no need to either conspire with a high official in New-York or to seek to so entrap him as to present the appearance of guilt. If the President was in that combination there was no need for all this complicated system of subterfuge and deceit. The power lay in his hand alone and there was no need for a dozen useless and apparently witless conspirators. Nay, more—and this to any candid man renders all argument unnecessary—ULYSSES S. GRANT crushed that unholy combination, and, by his own direct and positive order and act, defeated its villainy. The attempt to connect General GRANT directly or indirectly with these speculations is too weak and wicked to deceive any man, except he be blinded by an intense and unreasoning partisan bigotry. Patiently and tirelessly he fought on until, at the last, he crushed LEE and the rebellion together. He kept his counsel, bided his hour, and at the last, by his good sense and faithful loyalty, prevented an obstinate and misguided President from doing the nation grievous and lasting wrong. And now, elevated to the White House by a loving and grateful people, he will keep himself pure and unspotted in his high estate. He is not a trained politician. But he is an earnest, honest man of sincere purpose and large good sense. He is resolutely bent upon doing his duty faithfully and well, and as surely as to-morrow's sun shall rise just so surely will he administer the Government honestly and intelligently. Just so surely, if we do our duty and sustain him, as in honor and wisdom we are bound to do, will he place this nation upon the firm foundations of established credit, financial prosperity and an honest and just administration of the laws. Let each man of us, then, resolve this night, more highly than we have ever resolved before, that we will seek, whether in public or in private station, to do our duty as citizens. [Great applause.]

SPEECH OF HORACE GREELEY.

HORACE GREELEY, who was received with great applause, said he rejoiced that the great struggle of liberty as against slavery was so near a conclusion. Never until slavery gave us a fair field, by openly declaring rebellion, did we have an opportunity to meet it and combat it. He was not sure that they had reached the Appomattox of the struggle, but he thought they had arrived at its Richmond. He thought the young men who had taken so noble a part in the fight would be encouraged to remain by the standard of freedom, and he could assure them that in less than twenty years the struggle would be completely ended, and then the laws would know only those who were evil-doers and those who were not. The cry of "nigger," "nigger," might enable the Democracy to win a few local offices, if they could not oust the President. The rebels knew when they were whipped, and acknowledged it; but they had with them, here, a large number of persons who had failed to find out the fact, who might be known by being seen hanging on to the tip end of nothing after it was cut off. [Applause.] He was glad that at the election next Tuesday the people were to have an opportunity of voting against property qualification. He was sure the enemy hated to have the issue to meet. They would not offer it much opposition, as they dare not. There would be no doubt about carrying the Fifteenth Amendment, especially with the healthful example of Ohio before them. He had private advices from Ohio that there was no kind of danger about the result in that State. The Fifteenth Amendment would be carried. To endeavor to secure probity in the Legislature, the new Constitution provided that legislators at Albany were to have $1,000 a year instead of $3 a day for the session. He must be a poor legislator who could not make a $1,000 a year. He thought the new Constitution would effectually prevent corruption. He then pointed out the improvement proposed in the Registry law by providing four clear days between the last day of registry and the day of voting. He had been forty years a voting citizen, and he had always hailed any proposition to fortify the ballot box against corruptions and fraud at elections. The lists of voters should be well scrutinized before election so as to preserve to the ballot of the citizen its full value by keeping out the ballots of promiscuous vagabonds and villains picked up in the street. The adoption of the new Constitution would provide against such demonstrations as that made in the City of New-York last year, when the Democracy foisted 30,000 fraudulent voters upon the registry lists. If there were 5,000 felons in Brooklyn out of prison, they (the people) might be assured that 4,500 of them were in the Democratic Party. Such were the men who were under the beck and call of the District-Attorney, who could any time call upon them to vote the Democratic ticket, and vote it frequently, if they wished him to keep their indictments quiet. He closed with an earnest admonition to the voters to lose no time from then until election in watching the enemy, and in urging their friends and neighbors to go to the polls on Tuesday early, and they need entertain no fears as to the grand result awaiting faithful work.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. WM. H. BURLEIGH offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the integrity, the economy, the justice and moderation which characterize the present National Administration not only command our approval and our confidence, but justify the expectation that among its happy results will be the entire pacification of the country, the restoration of public confidence, the steady and material reduction of the public debt, and the inauguration of an era of general prosperity.

Resolved, That we approve of the action of the Republican State Convention recently held at Syracuse; that we heartily indorse the ticket headed by the honored name of SIGEL, and pledge to it our earnest and undivided support; as we do also, to our several local tickets.

Resolved, That while we are not blind to the defects of the new Constitution, we yet find it, in many of its most important features, a great improvement upon the old;—that, especially, we approve of the article empowering the people to decide the question of the Judiciary; and also that which abolishes the partial, unjust and anti-Democratic rule which requires a property-qualification for the suffrage from a portion of the citizens, while it exempts another and the larger portion from any such restriction. We demand one and the same regulation for all—equality of rights and impartial administration of penalties. We therefore recommend to our fellow-citizens to vote for the adoption of the new Constitution; for the article concerning the Judiciary, and against the property qualification for suffrage.

Resolved, That our Democratic Supervisors, in the appointment of Inspectors of Election and Canvassers, mainly of their own political faith, have so clearly indicated their purpose to tamper with the ballot-box and count in their candidates without reference to legal majorities, that we should be willfully blind if we failed to see it, and derelict to duty if we failed to denounce it as an outrage on the rights of the minority and a flagitious attempt to override the will of the people and nullify laws and Constitutions by systematic frauds and stupendous perjuries.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously, and amid applause.

OTHER SPEECHES.

Hon. JOHN OAKEY made one of his characteristic speeches, in which he alluded to the various local candidates and their chances of success in the election of Tuesday. He reminded the people that in regard to the Mayor, the gentleman now occupying that exalted office needed nearly a thousand dollars' worth of whisky to get the unaccustomed taste of water out of his mouth a few days ago. As for himself, he did not expect to be elected Senator when HENRY C. MURPHY, who had a life-long lease to that position in the Third District, was in the balance against him. They did hope to elect a Sheriff, because they wanted to have a man to hang the unruly Democrats sentenced by Democratic Judges.

Hon. WM. H. BURLEIGH next made an address, in which he traced the history of the degeneration of the Democratic Party during the last twenty-five years, and concluded by an eloquent tribute to the struggle against slavery, and the triumph of freedom.

Addresses were also made by Mr. W. W. GOODRICH, candidate for Senator in the Second District, and Mr. WM. M. LITTLE, candidate for Mayor.

Three rousing cheers were then given for the whole ticket, and the meeting adjourned.

THE GERMAN REPUBLICANS.

Immense Mass Meeting at the Cooper Institute—The Resolutions—Speeches of Frederick Kapp, General Franz Sigel, Charles Goepp, W. Weber and Dr. H. Holst.

The large hall of Cooper Institute was last night crowded to its utmost with an enthusiastic assemblage of the German Republicans of this City met to indorse the State Republican ticket. The platform was tastefully and elaborately decorated with the German and American flags conspicuously entwined, with which was the name of General FRANZ SIGEL. Above the name of the popular candidate for Secretary of State was the motto "Equal rights for all," and beneath the words "The champion of liberty of two worlds." A band of music contributed to the enthusiasm both outside and in the hall. The meeting was organized with Mr. FREDERICK KAPP as President, and Captain J. C. F. WEJLAND and numerous other gentlemen as Secretaries.

Among those named as Vice-Presidents were General Cluseret, Albert Dung, Rev. Dr. Einhorn, S. Hallgarten, Dr. A. Jacobi, Professor Koerner, W. Kuehne, Dr. Francis Lieber, Rudolph Lexow, S. D. Rosenbaum, Joseph Seligman, C. T. Triacca, H. Wesendonk, Dr. S. Watermann and a large number of others.

SPEECH OF FREDERICK KAPP.

The President, on coming forward, said that eight years ago the Germans of this City had met about this time of the year in order to pay due acknowledgment to General FRANZ SIGEL for his deeds in the field. Now they had assembled again in order to support him at the coming election as candidate for Secretary of State. They had gone honest and poor into the war, and had come honest and poor out of it. There could exist no reason for any German in the State, of whatever party, not to vote for SIGEL. He had been nominated and indorsed by the native Americans, and the German Americans had, therefore, cause twice to be glad at that nomination, because it involved the recognition of equal political rights to them.

SPEECH OF GENERAL SIGEL.

General FRANZ SIGEL was then introduced to the meeting amid great cheering. He said that the principles of right and justice were on the side of the meeting assembled. The American people was the nation of nations. All citizens, of whatever nationality, were equally entitled to rule this country as a consequence of the political and social liberty of this country. The American people were going back now to the principles of the Declaration of Independence after the slave power had been extinguished by the war. By and from the election of ABRAHAM LINCOLN the principle was practically settled that the majority was to rule this country. The war had become necessary, in order that, after settling the questions which caused it, the people of the United States might enjoy peace. The war had created the Thirteenth Amendment, Civil Rights bill, Fourteenth Amendment, and now the Fifteenth Amendment was pending, preventing States from taking away the suffrage from any class of citizens. By this amendment full political equality would be created. The Syracuse platform declared that no distinction should be made any more on account of bodily appearance. The educational department of the Freedmen's Bureau as existing in the South was necessary there for the public welfare, because it was the first duty of the State to take care of public education. Omitting to speak on the financial and other important questions, he would say that he was in favor of adopting the new Constitution, because the property clause would be removed by it and political equality would be recognized in that State. He approved the judicial clause and the clause with regard to militia officers in the new Constitution. Before the war the Germans had created only material power in this country; by and since the war they had also improved politically, and now they wanted to help to make the laws which they were to obey. The American people were doing justice to the adopted citizens by granting them political equality, because all citizens, native born and adopted, were sailing in the same ship for the common public welfare. The principles pronounced in 1776 had become practical only since the year 1861, and those who had helped in this work were being recognized by it now. This was the reason for his accepting the nomination. The result of the campaign, if successful, would benefit the country and its adopted citizens. The General retired amid the cheers of the meeting.

OTHER SPEAKERS.

Mr. WILLIAM WEBER was the next speaker. He said that the honor of the German element of this State was involved in the present campaign. The Republican platform was fully progressive. The Democratic Party was dead in principles, and its existence a danger for this Republic. He hoped the German Democrats would support the Republican ticket. The speech was well received.

Mr. THEODORE GLAUBENSKLEE then read the following resolutions, which were adopted with cheers:

Resolved, By the German Republican voters of the City of New-York, in mass meeting represented:

1. That we adopt the platform of the Republican Party drawn by the Syracuse Convention as ours, and will most actively support it.

2. That we hail in the nomination of our honored countryman Major-General FRANZ SIGEL for the office of Secretary of State, and in the selections made for the remaining State and County offices, the earnest desire of the party to break a ring which for years has squandered the treasures of the City and State in the most corrupt manner. By the election of these officers we, therefore, expect that also this State will return to the principle that only honesty and frugality shall be valid as a maxim of administration.

3. That by the nomination of a German for one of the most important State offices, is given us a security that henceforth to every citizen of the United States equal rights in politics will be granted, and a security that only true merit will be distinguished, be its bearer of native or foreign birth. We therefore accept this nomination as a recognition of the German and of all citizens of foreign birth generally, as being entitled fully to equal rights, and we shall make every effort for securing us this position henceforth.

4. That we are in favor of adopting the new Constitution. It is opposed to the corruption which has taken hold of our Courts and Legislatures; it removes all distinctions on account of race, and it gives the same rights to all citizens without any distinction. With equal rights for all, it will open a bright future to our State.

5. That we finally appeal to all German independent and justly-thinking citizens to vote for General SIGEL, the German and American champion of liberty, and for the rest of the candidates, because in the Government honesty is of greater importance than party connection.

Mr. CHARLES GOEPP, Republican candidate for Judge of the Superior Court, having been introduced to the meeting, said that because his nomination was a judicial one, he was not going to dwell on the political questions of the campaign at great length. He would state only that he was in favor of the payment of the public debt to the last cent in gold. He remembered that a petition to the Legislature for a new Constitution had been drawn a few years ago, in which was had been stated that it was desired by the corrupt politicians in the City of New-York that the republican form of government should be abolished there. The question had to be decided now whether this City was to be controlled any longer by a party which was standing under the protection of the criminals of this City or by honest men. He hoped the Republican ticket would become victorious at the forthcoming election, and chiefly so by the help of the German voters.

Dr. H. HOLST, the last speaker, made several interesting historical allusions, and at the conclusion of his speech the meeting adjourned.

THE NEW-YORK DEMOCRATS.

Tremendous Gathering at Tammany Hall—Large Torchlight Procession—Speeches by Mayor Hall, Fernando Wood, Hon. S. S. Cox, Richard O'Gorman, and Others.

The Democracy of this City and vicinity turned out in immense numbers last evening to ratify the nominations on the State ticket. Tammany Hall was the place designated for the gathering of the clans. The platform of the main hall was profusely decorated with the national flag, and depending from the centre of the ceiling to the underside of the galleries were streamers of red, white and blue. At the back of the stage was hung a flag bearing the municipal coat of arms, the same old banner that has so often kissed the breeze from the top of the City Hall, borrowed for the occasion, and now doing duty in behalf of the enterprising Sachems. Fourteenth-street, from Third-avenue to University-place, was resplendent in all the glory of Chinese lanterns, calcium lights, &c., and resounded ever and anon with the fizz of rockets and the bang of pyrotechnic bombs, while the glare of Bengal lights threw a ghastly shadow over the surroundings in the vicinity of the Wigwam. Outside stands were erected in Fourteenth-street, one opposite Broadway at the southerly end of Union-square, and the other near the Washington Equestrian Statue, the latter being set apart for the use of the German Democracy, where the sons of Faderland were harangued by orators who earnestly tried to make an impression on the men who fought "mit SIGEL." At 8 o'clock the procession of ward clubs made its entrée on the scene of operations, huzzas greeting their appearance.

The proceedings inside of Tammany Hall were opened by WM. M. TWEED, who, after having announced that there were prognostications of an immense gathering outside the hall, proposed Mayor HALL as Chairman of the meeting, which selection was acquiesced in by the Democracy.

Mayor HALL made a short speech, calculated, as usual, to tickle the audience. There might be disorder, he said, during the proceedings, but it would be the disorder of enthusiasm. The Democracy were about to play a game of political cricket. They were the "ins," and the Radicals were the "outs." It behooved the "ins" to see that the bowlers out did not knock down the wickets; and he urged the party, therefore, to score their innings on Tuesday next. The Republican Party was the party of resignation, as illustrated by the resignations of CURTIS, HILLHOUSE and ROBINSON on the State ticket, lately supplemented by the resignation of Federal officers. BARLOW gives place to HARLOW, and GRANT now loses his Bread-and-Butter-field. They began this Administration by appointing a Secretary of the Treasury in ignorance of the law, who could not serve, and have ended by compelling the resignation of most whom they first nominated for State offices. Their action has proven that they know neither the law nor the Constitution, and if they did, would disregard both. He concluded by urging the Democracy of New-York to overthrow all hope of a Radical victory in this State by bringing out, on election day, the old Democratic machine No. 60,000.

Mr. ISAAC BELL then read a list of Vice-Presidents and Secretaries, which was adopted.

Hon. S. S. COX was then introduced and made a long speech. He contended that we have not peace to-day, although the Republican Party went into power on the cry "Let us have peace." Generals, the camp, and all the panoply of war were to be found in the South in time of professed peace. The speaker then took up the record of District-Attorney PIERREPONT, and contended that that gentleman had stultified himself by siding the Republican cause, quoting from his speeches in bygone years in proof of his averment. He contended, also, that the American people were now crucified between two thieves by the action of the Republican Party—the never-repenting tariff on the one hand and a miserable paper currency on the other; that the much-lauded payment of the public debt was simply the result of selling ships and other war material and hiding the proceeds from the people. He closed by alluding to State issues, and urging the united support of the ticket.

A dispatch from Ex-Governor SEYMOUR was read, regretting his inability to be present.

Hon. Mr. FOLLETT, Speaker of the Ohio Legislature, was then introduced. The burden of his speech was directed against the proposed Fifteenth Amendment, and was closed with the prediction that the Republican Party was doomed to defeat.

Hon. FERNANDO WOOD alluded to the fact that he had just returned from a visit to Europe, and had come back with a higher estimation than ever of the advantages enjoyed by the people of the American Republic. He severely criticised the proceedings of the Administration in the matter of the Cuban difficulty, and, speaking of the management of the Treasury Department, he said: Peculation has been rampant; high officials have been acting in collusion with the worst of Wall-street brokers to use the public credit for purposes of private speculation. Even the high and honored office of the Presidency itself has been drawn into this conspiracy. I do not charge that the Presidency has been a party to it, but do say that upon much less circumstantial proof than appears against him has many a man been hung for murder. He may or may not be guilty. I would not charge guilt upon him. My reverence for that illustrious position is too great for me to admit it possible. But this I will say, and that is, that that exalted office should be in the hands of a man beyond the possibility of suspicion.

Speeches were also made by RICHARD O'GORMAN, Hon. SAMUEL F. CAREY, of Cincinnati, Colonel E. L. GAUL and others, after which the meeting adjourned.

MISCELLANEOUS LOCAL POLITICS

Indorsement of Judge Clerke—Speeches of John H. Anthon, E. D. McCarthy and Others.

A largely-attended meeting to advocate the claims of THOMAS W. CLERKE for reelection to the Supreme Court Bench, was held last evening at McClellan Hall, corner of Eighth-avenue and Thirty-fourth-street.

Hon. JOHN H. ANTHON, the first speaker, denounced in strong terms the system [illegible] among the Tammany politicians of selecting men without character or ability, on the sole understanding that they should, when in office, be the mere creatures of a corrupt ring.

Mr. E. D. MCCARTHY said he had come to address the meeting, not as the advocate of the claims of any particular party, but simply in behalf of justice. The purity of the Judiciary is of primary importance for the well being of the community, and it is the duty of every honest man in New-York to come forward on Tuesday and cast his vote for an honest, able and Christian Magistrate by voting for THOMAS W. CLERKE. A corrupt political society had resolved to sacrifice him, simply because he had proved honest and capable, and could not be induced to become their tool. For sixteen years he had filled his office so well that few could be found who would not admit that his official conduct had been unexceptionable. The Judiciary was becoming more and more corrupt. Six months ago, when Judge CLERKE expressed his intention to resign, a petition begging him not to do so was signed by forty of the ablest and most reputable lawyers in the City, and at their solicitation and in the interests of the Bench he allowed himself to be renominated for the present election. Then Tammany raised a conspiracy to crush him, and finding it essential to pitt an able man against him, had succeeded in drawing Judge JOHN R. BRADY into their net. Politics are rapidly degrading the Judiciary, and we therefore owed it to the interests of the Democratic institutions to support a man of stern integrity like Judge CLERKE.

Other speakers followed, and warmly urged the claims of Judge CLERKE.

Republican Mass Meeting at Newark—Speeches by Hon. Courtlandt Parker and Others.

The Republicans of Newark held a mass meeting at Library Hall. FRANCIS MACKEN called the meeting to order, and Ex-Senator JAMES L. HAYES was chosen Chairman. After Mr. HAYES had returned thanks for the honor conferred,

Hon. COURTLANDT PARKER was introduced and received with loud applause. He said that the condition of the country to-day proved that GRANT's prayer for peace had been a prophecy. Within the history of the country no peace more profound than that which now reigns had been known. The adoption of the Fifteenth Amendment was to secure a peace even more profound. Its adoption was the natural consequence of the whole course of our national affairs from the days of '60. He could not conceive why it should be so repulsive to men who professed to be imbued with Republican principles. It embodied the central idea of Republicanism, and equalized the differences now existing between the qualifications for citizenship in the different States.

Mr. PARKER was frequently applauded during the course of his speech. He was followed by JOHN W. TAYLOR and Mayor PEDDIE, of Newark. The meeting adjourned at about 11 o'clock.

A number of citizens, after the close of the meeting, repaired to the residence of Senator HAYES and serenaded him.

Meeting of the Union League of America.

At a large meeting of the County Council of the Union League of America, held last evening, the following preamble and resolutions were read and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, This organization was established to maintain the loyalty of the people to the Government; and

Whereas, The maintenance of that loyalty has been achieved by our brave soldiers in the field; and,

Whereas, It was through our influence that thousands of those devoted men went to the front; therefore,

Resolved, That we, the County Council, U. L. of A. in New-York, will do all that lies in our power to aid and befriend the widows and orphans of those who fell in the late war.

Resolved, That we indorse the action and approve the efforts of the Ladies' Union Relief Association of this City, and pledge ourselves to use every endeavor to make the Fair to be held in the Apollo Rooms on the 4th prox., under their auspices, a success, and that we recommend to subordinate councils to so regulate their action in the matter as to make it conduce to the same result.

Political Brevities.

The Emerald Club, of the Eighteenth Ward, Tuesday evening indorsed the following nominations: For Senator, RICHARD O'BRIEN; for Member of Assembly, FRANCIS R. PURCELL; for Comptroller of the State, HORACE GREELEY; for Judge of the Superior Court, MARTIN T. MCMAHON.

The Republican Assembly Convention of the Seventh District, (Twenty-third-street organization,) has nominated CHARLES P. SHAW.

THEODORE MACKNET has been nominated for Assembly by the Republicans of the Seventh District of Essex County, N. Y. The Democrats of the Sixth District nominated Mr. FREDERICK VOLE last evening. Those of the Third District nominated Mr. VOLNEY A. ELLIS. Mr. JAMES L. GURNEY was renominated by the Republicans of the Fifth Assembly District.

The Nineteenth Assembly District Republican Convention last evening nominated LUTHER HORTON. This completes the Republican Assembly nominations.

STATE POLITICS.

The Democratic Committees of Onondaga, Cortland and other central counties, have adopted resolutions declaring that they recognize in the Judiciary article of the amended Constitution the careful and judicious work of Democratic and Republican lawyers and jurists; that as the subject is non-partisan in its nature, it ought not to be involved in the strife of political parties; and that the adoption of this article is demanded by the public interest. The Democratic Committee of Albany County has taken like action.

Some of the Republicans in Watertown, Jefferson County, complain of the way in which a city charter was obtained for that town last year, and the result of their dissatisfaction is an independent ticket for county officers.

The Republicans of the First District of Rensselaer County met in convention in Troy on Tuesday evening, and after several ineffectual ballots for a candidate for Member of Assembly, appointed a committee to select a candidate and to report to-night.

The Republicans of the Third District of Oneida County, on Monday nominated GEORGE A. CANTINE, of Rome, for Member of Assembly, and FRANK NOBLE, of Vienna, for School Commissioner.

HENRY W. DAVIS, of Riga, is the Democratic candidate for Member of Assembly in the Third District of Monroe County, and G. W. DOTY, of Ogden, is their candidate for School Commissioner.

The Democrats of the First District of Monroe County have nominated HORATIO G. WARNER, of Brighton, for Member of Assembly. HENRY W. DAVIS is the Democratic candidate in the Third District.

E. T. BAUCUS, of Schaghticoke, is the Democratic candidate for member of Assembly in the Second District of Rensselaer County. The Democrats of that District have nominated Rev. A. B. WHIPPLE, of Lansingburgh, a Republican, for School Commissioner, and he has accepted the nomination.

Speaking of the prospect in this State at the election next week, the Utica *Herald* of yesterday says: "Here in the central counties, if proper effort be made, the majority given last year for SEYMOUR in the State can be wiped out, even were it possible for the metropolitan district to do as badly as then. This is the centre of the contest. Failure here is failure along the whole line. Such a success as is within our reach here, is success throughout the State. Once more the old enthusiasm; once more the accurate detail of organization; once more the rally of every man, whether sun shall shine or rains shall fall, and the 2d of November shall restore the Empire State to its place at the head of the Republican phalanx."

The Buffalo *Commercial Advertiser* says it has received copies of two printed circulars, and of a manuscript letter, which are being secretly circulated among the different temperance organizations of this State, urging them to vote against General SIGEL, and in favor of his Democratic opponent, HOMER A. NELSON. One of the printed circulars contains certain resolutions of the State Temperance Committee adopted in New-York on the 18th instant, recommending all friends of temperance to vote against candidates who are unfriendly to the enactment of a law for the suppression of the liquor traffic, and is attested by E. E. HALE, Chairman, and H. S. MCCOLLUM, Secretary. The second circular is a letter from GEORGE LANSING TAYLOR, charging that General SIGEL is an advocate and an opponent of prohibition. Accompanying these circulars is the following manuscript letter:

NEW-YORK, Oct. [illegible], 1869.

DEAR SIR: I inclose herewith resolutions of State Temperance Committee and a letter from Rev. GEO. LANSING TAYLOR, in reference to the position of General SIGEL on Temperance and the Sabbath. The duty seems forced upon the Temperance and Christian voters of the State to rebuke the party leaders who nominated SIGEL for Secretary of State as a bid for the votes of the lower element of our German population. It would be a disgrace to the State and a severe blow to the sanctity of the Sabbath and the cause of Temperance should SIGEL be elected and the remainder of the ticket defeated, or should he run much ahead of his associates. The only way we can hope to avoid such a calamity is for Christian and temperance men to work earnestly and to vote directly for Judge HOMER A. NELSON, SIGEL's Democratic opponent. Scratching is only half work. The friends of free lager never do their work by halves. Why should we? Will we do our duty? The time is short, but much can be done if we will only do it.

Judge NELSON is not a professed prohibitionist, but he is a man of character, and his sympathies and his purse are ever with the temperance workers of his country. Truly, yours, H. S. MCCOLLUM.

WASHINGTON.

The President and Judge Dent—A Conversation with Senator Thayer—The Assistant Treasurer at New-York—Fractional Currency.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Senator THAYER, of Nebraska, who is now here, in a conversation with the President, called his attention to the late speech of Judge DENT, in which the latter is reported to have declared that the President had assured him that he was privately in favor of his election, but dared not express himself publicly because of the opposition of the Radicals. The President said he had sent a slip containing this reported speech to Judge DENT, and had asked whether it was correct, but had received no reply. He then read to Senator THAYER a copy of a letter he had addressed to DENT before the latter was nominated, in which the President warned DENT that the tender of the nomination to him was simply a device of the old rebels to gain power, and that his, GRANT's, duty to the country and the party which elected him was to support the party which opposed DENT, and that he should do so energetically. He had no desire whatever for the success of the Conservatives, and hoped DENT would not be a party to the movement. Senator THAYER says the President further assured him that he earnestly desired the election of ALCORN.

The President remarked, incidentally, that the opponents of ALCORN were enemies of the Administration and the Government, and that he believed they would be defeated in the election.

THE ASSISTANT TREASURERSHIP.

There are no new developments here regarding the New-York Assistant Treasurership, and I have no reason to vary the statement sent you last night regarding the final disposition of General BUTTERFIELD's resignation. The matter is now simply held in abeyance. A first-class man will be sought for, and it is not at all unlikely that it may be tendered to one or more gentlemen who will feel compelled to decline. It is proper to say here that the officers of the Treasury are unanimous in their commendation of the executive ability which General BUTTERFIELD has displayed in his present position.

THE FRACTIONAL CURRENCY.

The statement that the issue of fractional currency has reached an amount of four millions higher than ever before is not true. The amount reported out to-day was $36,300,000. This is $700,000 less than the highest point reached during the past year.

PERSONAL MATTERS.

The President will return on Friday. Several members of the Cabinet will go to Baltimore to-morrow to attend the Fair. The new Secretary of War will arrive here on Friday. Postmaster BURT, of Boston; Hon. HARVEY JEWELL, Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives; and Congressmen WASHBURN, of Wisconsin, and NIBLACK, of Indiana, are in the city.

REVENUE SEIZURES.

Information has been received at the Internal Revenue Office from the Collector of the Twenty-fourth District of Pennsylvania, of the seizure of EVERLY & SOUTH's distillery, valued at $30,000. The Collector of the Third Virginia District reports the seizure of J. F. WOOLDRIDGE's tobacco factory, and the Collector of the Second Virginia District reports the seizure of two illicit stills in his district. Detective BROOKS, of Pennsylvania, reports the seizure of the distillery of JONAS B. GOODE and the rectifying house of S. B. HARTMAN & Co., at Lancaster, Penn., for frauds.

CONSCIENCE MONEY.

The total amount of money received by the Treasury Department up to date, and credited to the conscience fund, is $112,991 31. General SPINNER will recommend that this amount be credited to the general sinking fund.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

DIPLOMATIC COURTESIES.

The absence of the Ministers of Peru and Mexico from the dinner recently given by the Secretary of State, was not occasioned, as stated in a New-York journal, by differences of opinion relative to Cuban affairs; neither did it result from any social misunderstanding between the parties. The facts are these: Colonel FREYRE, the Peruvian Minister, called upon the Secretary of State and Mrs. FISH immediately after his reception by the President, in June last. The Secretary's family did not arrive in Washington until the middle of September. So soon as they were settled in their house, Colonel and Mrs. FREYRE called upon Mrs. FISH, and their visit was immediately returned by the Secretary of State and his lady. If they were not invited to the dinner in question, it was simply because it was not given to the whole diplomatic corps. Another is to be given by Secretary FISH on Thursday, the 28th inst., at which the Peruvian Minister and his wife will be present, as also such other members of the diplomatic corps as were not invited to the first dinner. It is a common practice of Secretaries to dine the diplomatic corps in installments, and, of course, to invite on each occasion those members whose official or social relations are closest.

A SHORT TOBACCO CROP.

Information received at the Department of Agriculture shows a falling off of one-third of the tobacco crop in Virginia and Maryland, and throughout Kentucky and the West about one-tenth. The reported frost last night in the West will cause a further deficiency.

THE FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT.

Conversing on the subject of the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, the President expressed to Senator THAYER the hope that the Nebraska Legislature would be convoked this coming Winter in order to ratify the amendment. The sessions of the Nebraska Legislature are biennial, and the next regular session will not take place until January, 1871.

TO APPLICANTS FOR OFFICE AND OTHERS.

The following order has just been issued by the President of the United States:

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

All communications in writing intended for the Executive Department of this Government and relating to public business of whatever kind, including suggestions for legislation, claims, contracts, employment, appointments and removals from office and pardons, must be transmitted through the Department to which the care of the subject matter of communication properly belongs. Communications otherwise transmitted will not receive attention.

By order of the President.

HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18, 1869.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, Oct. 15, 1869.

Notice is hereby given to applicants for office, that there are no existing vacancies in the Department, either abroad or at home. Vacancies hereafter occurring will be filled only on written application addressed to the Secretary and filed in the Department. The Secretary will not receive applicants personally. No answers will be made to applications unless the applicant is appointed, and in no case will papers filed in support of an application be returned to the applicant. Attention to this notice will save the applicants much inconvenience.

(Signed) HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

A General Order just issued from the War Department directs that the following places be made general depots of funds for the Paymasters named below, subject only to the orders from these headquarters and the Paymaster-General:

New-York City—Brevet Brigadier-General N. W. Brown, Assistant Paymaster-General United States Army.

New-Orleans—Colonel Daniel McClure, Assistant Paymaster-General United States Army.

San Francisco—Brevet Brigadier-General Hiram Leonard, Deputy Paymaster-General United States Army.

St. Louis—Brevet Brigadier-General Cary H. Fry, Deputy Paymaster-General United States Army.

All the other Paymasters will continue as heretofore, under the immediate command of Department and Division Commanders.

ILLINOIS.

First Snow of the Season—The Approaching Elections—Crime in Chicago—The Peach Crop—Condition of Business.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CHICAGO, Saturday, Oct. 23, 1869.

We were visited last evening with the first snow storm of the season, accompanied by a sinking of the thermometer to a point quite winterish. The fall of snow was not over an inch, but it still remains on the ground not much affected by the sun's rays. This sort of weather is somewhat unusual in this section, as generally at this time we are enjoying a beautiful Indian summerlike season.

THE APPROACHING ELECTIONS.

The city is quiet with the exception that the nearer the day of election approaches, the hotter grows the fight between the two factions which are seeking to control the destinies and enjoy the spoils of our City Government. The fight has degenerated into a personal one, and it is not a little amusing to see the leading Republican journals advocating the election of Democrats whom they have heretofore "pitched into" unmercifully, and traducing Republican candidates whom they have heretofore held up as the "pink of perfection." But such is politics. It is becoming highly probable that the "citizens' ticket" will be elected, as it will have the support of the entire Democratic vote, with such others as the four Republican dailies are able to draw off from their own party. It is the only chance the Democrats have of getting into power, and the success of the ticket will give them wholly as a gratuity three members of the Constitutional Convention, and may thus enable them to control that body. The clique who manage the "citizens'" business have made, and are making, some scandalous nominations, and it is only a choice between two evils to vote either ticket. In other parts of the State political matters are more quiet; and yet, in many counties, there is an interesting tripartite contest which makes matters rather lively.

CRIME.

The "carnival of crime," as one of our dailies denominates it, still continues with little or no abatement. Our three Police Courts are in active operation, and on Monday mornings, especially after the "recreations" and "amusements" of the Sabbath, are exceedingly busy. Our people recreate so extensively on that day that from two to three hundred are invited to contribute to the city treasury on the following morning. The Bridewell is full, there being 225 at the Sunday morning services this week. Our quota to the State Penitentiary at Joliet is kept full, and now that interesting institution has upward of 1,300 inmates, with more continually coming than are discharged. Chicago generally furnishes about one-sixth of the whole number.

THE PEACH CROP.

The St. Joseph peach crop has been abundant this year. We are now receiving the last supplies from that region, completing a peach season of over four months' duration. Over 300,000 baskets have been marketed from the Michigan peacheries, and the price has been highly remunerative. A friend of ours banked $15,000 yesterday, the net proceeds of his crop of 38,000 baskets. The crop in the southern part of this State, however, has been to a certain extent a failure. The budded trees have been almost completely so, while the seedlings have done much better. The same result was experienced last year, and the fruit raisers are becoming convinced that the failure is radical, and they have set about replacing budded trees with seedlings, which are generally sure bearers. The budded trees also decay and die early, while the seedlings are known to last a generation and be constant bearers all the while. Whether this is the case in other sections or not, I have not learned.

BUSINESS, &C.

General business continues somewhat depressed on account of the stringency prevailing in the money market; but still, trade is fair, and probably much better than in any other city, except the three principal ones on the Atlantic. There has been much stringency in financial matters, and quite a number of failures. But we do not report these nowadays, so that the public is not advised of what's going on in this line. Assignments are quite frequent. Lake navigation is drawing to a close, and grain is accumulating here. There will be a large stock left over in our warehouses.

Suicide of a Student in Vermont University.

From the Burlington Free Press, Oct. 27.

The community was startled Tuesday morning by news that a member of the Junior Class in the University of Vermont, DONALD MANN, had committed suicide by hanging himself in his room. It appears that nothing was seen of MANN by his college mates since last Saturday afternoon, and on Tuesday morning, immediately after prayers, the door of his room was broken open by order of the President. On entering the outer room nothing unusual appeared; the door of the bedroom, which opened inward from the outer room, was ajar, and on pushing it open with some difficulty a heavy fall was heard inside. The body of young MANN was found lying on its face, entirely cold, and with the life evidently long since departed.

A glance showed how he had come to his death. Taking a sheet, he had wrapped the most of it tightly round a stick about two feet long, put one end of the sheet in a noose round his neck, and standing on a chair, had thrust the stick between the upper panel of the door and the casing, drawing the sheet over the upper edge, then kicking away the chair, the weight of his body instantly closed the door fast upon the sheet, while the stick prevented it from being drawn out, and the noose did its fatal work. The knees were drawn up somewhat, the hands clenched and discolored, and the face somewhat blackened.

No reason for suicide has yet been found, nor even the slightest clue to explain it. On Saturday young MANN was with his college mates as usual, nor was anything unusual observed, or any remark noticed, save that to a classmate who invited him after dinner to play a game of quoits, he, in refusing, said he "felt pretty bad."

He was not seen after Saturday afternoon; was heard by others rooming on the same floor, declaiming in his room between 4 and 5 o'clock, apparently rehearsing a Chapel exercise; was not at tea that evening, nor at the meeting of the College Society, to which he belonged. About 11 P. M. Mr. DOTY, of the Freshman class, who roomed on the same landing, heard some one, whom he supposed to be MANN, come up the stairs and go into the room; and this was the last known of him till the discovery of his body. We are informed that during his Freshman year he was at one time seized with an epileptic fit.

MANN was the oldest son of the late ALEXANDER MANN, who graduated at the University of Vermont in 1833, in the same class with the late President PEASE, Hon. JOHN G. SMITH and J. S. ADAMS, and died, we believe, in 1851, leaving this son DONALD, and a younger brother named PARKER. His mother afterward married Hon. ISAAC HILLS, of Rochester, N. Y., and now resides there. Young MANN was about 19 years old—a bright, intelligent fellow, though a little odd in some of his ways; of a cheerful disposition, a good scholar, and doing unusually well this term, and every way a young man of much promise.

At 5 o'clock last evening the students assembled at the Chapel, and funeral services were had, conducted by President ANGELL and Professor PETTY, after which the remains of young MANN were conveyed to the Rutland depot, to be transported to Rochester, N. Y., his mother's residence, for interment.

SOCIAL SCIENCE.

Second Day's Session of the American Association.

Valuable Papers Presented on Important Subjects.

Changes Suggested in the Mode of Electing the Head of the Government.

General Garfield on the American Census.

George William Curtis on the Civil Service.

Important Changes in the Laws Proposed.

The second day's session of the "American Social Science Association" opened at 3 P. M. yesterday, in the lecture room of the Historical Society. The audience was select but small. In accordance with the programme previously arranged, Dr. ELIOT announced the next business in order to be the reading of a paper by FREDERICK KAPP, Esq., on

IMMIGRATION—ITS CAUSES, ITS DIRECTION AND ITS VALUE TO THIS COUNTRY.

On being introduced by the President, Mr. KAPP then read a very interesting paper on the above subject, of which the following is an abstract:

The reason why people emigrate is because they are persecuted either by the ruling powers or by the social evils. Only the poor and the politically or the religiously disappointed emigrate. The United States owes its power and wealth to the conflux of the poor and outcast of Europe; to the farmer and mechanic who exceeded the lazy discoverers. During the last century emigrants were so poor that they contracted for their passage and small loans, which they repaid on their arrival in temporary servitude. The shipowners charged high rates, to which were added 100 per cent. for the risk, and the emigrant suffered in proportion. Young people had to serve for their old parents and survivors for those of their family who died on the passage. Adults had to serve three years, and children from ten to fifteen years, until they became of age; smaller children were without charge surrendered to their masters, who had to raise and board them. A ship's passengers, upon arrival in New-York and Philadelphia, were sold to the highest bidder. Robust farmers and sturdy mechanics went off well, but military officers and scholars were unsalable. The lower classes generally got along well, but they were sometimes treated very brutally. The more a man was educated the worse he [illegible]. Parents sold their children to remain free themselves; young people about to marry had to pay five or six pounds for each further year they would have to serve, although a steerage passage never cost more than ten pounds; runaway servants were obliged to serve one week for each day, one month for each week, and six months for every month they were absent. A master might sell his servant for the unexpired term of his temporary slavery. The last sales were in Philadelphia in 1818 and 1819. From 1775 to 1815 emigration was very slim on account of the American Revolution and the European wars. Not more than 3,000 to 4,000 per annum arrived during this period. When peace was reëstablished it took a fresh start. The famine of 1816 and 1817 gave the first powerful impetus to a larger German emigration. In 1827 there were 11,[illegible] emigrants from the United Kingdom against [illegible] in 1828, and in 1829 there were 17,[illegible]. In 1830 the number sank to 30,[illegible], and in 1820 to 5,[illegible]. The increase was the same in every year of great distress, or revolution, or national disaster. During the decade from 1845 to 1854, inclusively, Ireland sent 1,512,100 emigrants to this country, but after that her quota has fallen off to less than one-half the average of the last ten years. The failure of the revolution of 1848-51 drove immense numbers of Germans over, but the greatest number came in 1854. From 1846 to 1854, inclusively, the number of Germans [illegible] 1,226,[illegible]. In like manner emigration falls off when the chances of success in the United States grow less. The worse the times in Europe the larger the emigration; the worse the times in America the smaller the emigration. Emigrants prefer the United States to other countries equally fertile, beautiful and easy of access, because the soil is cheap, labor is better remunerated, and the Government does not interfere with them. A colonist must be his own master in order to fully develop his physical and mental [illegible] to help in building up a free [illegible]. The Teutonic races represent the successful principle of self-government, and the Latin races the unsuccessful one of State dependence and protection. It was from no whim that the emigrant avoided the Southern States while they were cursed with slavery; it was because they had no civil liberty. Their natural advantages are in many instances much superior to those of the Northern States, and henceforth a tide of emigration will flow into them. In 1866 every emigrant was questioned as to the amount of money he had with him, and the average of 149,[illegible] new comers was found to be $68 08. But this was abandoned, as it was found that the full amounts were not truly stated. It was shown, however, that on the average they possessed a larger sum than is held by the localized residents of any known community. It is estimated that the German emigrants alone brought into this country annually an average of about $11,000,000. Each one has clothing, tools and valuables also, the value of which with his cash capital amounts to $150, (a low estimate,) so, as 350,000 emigrants arrived in New-York in 1869, the national wealth was augmented that year by $57,[illegible]. An emigrant is worth just as much to this country as it costs to produce a native-born laborer of the same average ability; but the net product of his labor, by which the country of his adoption grows and flourishes, varies according to his intellectual capacity, hereditary disposition and national qualities. It is calculated that an American farmer or skilled laborer costs [illegible] for the first fifteen years of his life, or until he becomes self-supporting; and a female [illegible]. One-fifth of the emigrants are less than fifteen years old, but then there are more men arriving than women, and very many are of the highest order of skilled labor, the education of whom costs here five times $1,500. Taking them, however, to be half male and half female, each one will be worth $1,125 to this country, which it gains free of expense. The number of emigrants who from May 5, 1847, to Jan. 1, 1869, arrived at the port of New-York, [illegible] 4,038,991, which number represents a capital value of $1,125, and a cash value of $150, being $1,275 in all per head, or a total increase to the national wealth of $[illegible] 713,[illegible]. Assuming the immigration into the whole Union to be 300,000 souls per year, the country gains $[illegible] per year, or more than $1,000,000 per day. Without emigration the yearly increase of the population by excess of births and deaths is about 1.38, while the actual increase from 1840 to 1850 was 35.87, and from 1850 to 1860, 35.59 per cent.; and we must understand that a large proportion of the births are of the children of former emigrants. Had emigration been stopped in 1825, there would have been very little numerical change in the population in 1865. Immigration, therefore, has pushed the country forward forty years in national progress, and the increase in all the departments of national progress has been in exact ratio to the increase of population. Immigration is a matter of State concern alone. It is argued that Congress should take it in charge, and that the commutation money of $2 50 per head collected at the principal ports of entry should be distributed pro rata among the several States. New-York, where five-sevenths of the emigrants are landed, is especially attacked; yet this State is the only one which has organized a proper system for the protection of immigration. It took a long time to perfect it, however. Formerly emigrants were treated like brutes and shamefully robbed, but at last the community saw that it suffered as much as the emigrants by this, and the Board of Commissioners of Emigration was appointed on the 5th of May, 1847. The Commissioners, who serve gratuitously, are the guardians of a fund created by the commutation money of $2 50 per head, which the emigrant has a right to fall back upon. Last year the receipts amounted to a little more than $670,000, and the Commissioners now hold in trust on Ward's Island a property valued at $2,000,000, and are perfectly able to provide for emigrants in all cases of necessity. The expenses last year were: For salaries, rent, repairs, &c., of Castle Garden, $[illegible]; to hospitals for care of emigrants, $[illegible]; and for 11,[illegible] inmates of hospitals and refuges on Ward's Island, $[illegible]. It is true that only ten to fifteen per cent. of the whole number of emigrants apply [illegible]

ing of their baggage, the protection against fraud or imposition, facility of procuring passage tickets and correct weighing of baggage are worth more than $2 50. Besides, the emigrant in case of sickness when he remains five years after his arrival has the right of admission to the hospitals on Ward's Island, and he is taken care of when destitute. Congress has only the right to protect the emigrant on the high seas; after he lands, his case is purely a police regulation, in which the State alone is interested. If Congress should take hold of him his case would soon become the subject of political chicanery, and the result may be imagined. About fifty per cent. of all new comers go to the country, and of those again about seventy-five per cent. go to the West, so that in proportion to its size and population New-York derives less benefit from immigration than the Western States. The healthy, industrious and wealthy emigrant generally goes West or South, and the worthless one remains behind. The Board of Emigration prevents disease from spreading all over the country. It is specially important that the emigrant should not be imposed upon, as he then loses his elasticity of mind and trust in his new relations, and becomes more of a burden than a source of profit. The emigrant is still shamefully abused in his transit to this country, and Congress should endeavor to effect some international treaties for his protection. It has a fine opportunity now in the affair of the North German Confederation. Let it be done as soon as possible.

At the conclusion of Mr. KAPP's essay the President introduced to the audience CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr., who read a paper on

THE MODE OF ELECTING PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES—ITS DEFECTS AND THE REMEDY.

MR. ADAMS commenced his paper with the remark that the following question was asked in the paper on "Protection of the Ballot," made before this Association at its meeting at Albany on the 19th of February last: "Can any good reason be suggested why the people of this country should not directly vote for their Presidents, as they ever have for their Governors?" This query did not have long to wait for a conclusive response. A very able criticism upon the paper in question shortly after appeared in the Chicago Tribune, which, while emphatically condemning the present mode of choosing the Electoral College, pointed out very clearly certain other dangers inherent in the method of direct elections, which, if supported by reason, are undoubtedly conclusive against it. The difficulty in the existing system, that of electing the College from each State as a general ticket, and by popular vote is, that an irresistible temptation to fraud is held out. A few thousand manufactured votes in New-York City, by controlling through a bare popular majority the thirty-three votes of the State, exactly offset 150,000 popular majority in Illinois, Massachusetts and Vermont, which together threw the same number of votes as New-York. The present system, therefore, not only renders fraudulent voting most unnaturally effective, but exactly points out the localities where it is needed to produce result, and almost how many votes are required. Fraud thus becomes a political necessity to counteract fraud. Violations of the ballot on any large scale can only be perpetrated under certain circumstances. They are possible in large cities, where the voters are necessarily unknown to each other, and in rude and lawless communities. They are impossible in well-regulated and moderately-peopled sections of country. The simple question therefore is, how can the influence of the crowded or lawless portions of the community be most effectually restricted within their legitimate limits? If the President were elected by a direct popular vote of the whole community, it is true one or many illegal votes in one section could only offset the same number of legal votes in another section; whereas in the last election a single ballot manufactured by one party in California could have been able to offset 120 legal votes actually cast by the other party in Iowa. In so far as it remedied this difficulty, and at least deprived fraud of an advantage by reducing all votes, legal or spurious, to a level, the election by a direct popular vote would be an improvement on the present system. Such a change, however, as was pointed out by the Tribune, would be open to grave objections; it would be cumbrous, liable to fraud and would lead to great dangers in case of a close vote. Even New-York, whatever it may be accustomed to within its own limits, might not see with equanimity vast opposing majorities rolling up from the wilds of Texas to settle some closely-contested election. Such an objection is conclusive, and while the existing system stands condemned, no relief is to be found in the direction suggested in February. What is the next step in the discussion? Something must be done. The frauds—unprecedented, systematic, appalling—which a year ago were only vaguely alleged, are now matters of record. Courts of law have passed upon them; Committees have investigated them. Finally the community is convinced in regard to them, for partisan leaders even acknowledge them, as was seen in the World of Sept. 5. As usual, however, nothing is being done to guard against them in future. The country has hitherto escaped Presidential elections contested on the ground of fraud, only by a miracle as it were. This good fortune cannot continue forever. The subject cannot be too much discussed. The solution of the problem will be arrived at when that system of elections is devised under which the effects of frauds shall be restricted within the narrowest possible limits. The existing system and the method of election by direct vote being rejected, we are brought directly back to the electoral system conducted by districts. The article referred to in the Tribune perfectly set forth the working of this system. The two members of each college, representing the United States Senators, would be elected by a vote at large. Each district would elect also one member of the college. Any number of thousands of fraudulent votes in a given district could only affect those electoral votes under this system, instead of thirty-three, as was the case last year, or the grand result as would be the case under a general popular vote. All incentive to great fraud would thus be removed. The regulation of this subject is specially reserved to the State Legislatures, by article 2, section 1, of the Constitution. The question of changing it for theoretical reasons has been long agitated. HAMILTON, JACKSON, BENTON, SUMNER, and others have all discussed it. Now the change is urged as an absolute necessity to prevent outrageous frauds; the question is practical and vital, not merely theoretical. Reform is essential to political health. All who have considered the subject arrive at one conclusion—that a change in the Constitution is imperative. The necessary modification will be found reduced to form in the report of Mr. LAWRENCE, of Ohio, on the New-York election frauds:

ARTICLE —. The electors of President and Vice-President shall be chosen as follows:

Two electors of President and Vice-President shall be chosen at large, from each State, by the qualified voters therein.

A number of electors in each State, equal to the whole number of Representatives to which each State may be entitled in Congress, shall be chosen in single districts of contiguous and compact territory, each containing, as nearly as possible, an equal amount of population.

The times, places and manner of choosing such electors shall be prescribed in each State by the Legislature thereof, but the Congress may at any time by law make or alter such regulations.

Congress shall prescribe the mode of determining the validity of the choice of electors, and of contesting the right to the office of President and Vice-President.

Here is a tangible measure of vital reform which seems to be unexceptionable. What can be done to make it a practical question? How can its adoption be forwarded? Politicians, caucuses and conventions cannot be relied on in this matter. This measure seeks to dry up, not increase, a fountain of corruption. It carries with it no political patronage, no spirit of victory. If there is, then, any public field in which the labor of this Association can be made useful; if there is any function it can profit, it is in putting its shoulder to the wheel to forward such measures as that proposed by Mr. LAWRENCE. It should adopt such deserving political orphans. Political organizations will not do this; yet somebody must. To this work the American Social Science Association proposes more especially to devote itself, and it has already begun by adopting, as far as it may, that most deserving and most neglected of political orphans, the Civil Service Reform. That it may efficiently prosecute the labor it asks support and encouragement from the large class who, while wishing well to their country, are yet conscious that, immersed in other pursuits, they do not do their full duty as citizens toward it. With this end in view, I would now respectfully suggest that this Association do memorialize Congress on the subject of the immediate passage by it, and submission to the Legislatures of the several States, with a view of its adoption into the Federal Constitution, of the amendment to that instrument recommended at the close of Report No. 31, House documents, Fortieth Congress, third session.

The next paper was by Professor FRANCIS BACON, of Yale College, on the subject of

VACCINATION.

Professor BACON's paper contained a history of "vaccination" as a preventive of smallpox, as well as "innoculation," which preceded it, and which is now practiced among the Chinese. It also dwelt at considerable length on the details of the mode of vaccinating, and a description of the signs that indicate a thorough vaccination. The statistics of England and other European countries were cited to show the almost absolute security afforded by vaccination against the scourge of smallpox. The alleged evil results of vaccination on the health of the race were treated as wholly imaginary and unworthy of consideration. In conclusion the paper recommended the establishment of a Government bureau of vaccination and the appointment of physicians who should furnish free vaccination, with the guarantee that the work should be properly done and pure vaccine matter used. Compulsory vaccination, like that secured by law in England, was probably not practicable in this country, but by Government taking the subject under its control the confidence of the people would be gained, and voluntary vaccination would thus be well nigh universal.

At the close of Professor BACON's paper an adjournment was had until 8 o'clock in the evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session of the Association was attended by a much larger audience than any previous session, owing probably to the fact that the two most important papers were announced to be read at that time. The first paper was by General JAMES A. GARFIELD, Chairman of the Congressional Committee on the census, the subject being

"THE AMERICAN CENSUS."

On being introduced by the President he was received with great applause, and commenced by saying that in the paper he was about to read he did not speak as the organ or mouthpiece of the Congressional Committee on the census, the work of that Committee not being yet completed.

The principles of statistical science and the modern census, he said, are closely allied. The application of the science of statistics is of recent date, and owes its origin to the impulse of modern civilization. The first comprehensive statement of the principles of this science originated with Professor ACHENWALL, of Gottingen. Without tracing the stages of its growth, the results of the cultivation of statistics in the spirit and method of science may be shown as follows: First, it has developed the truth that society is an organism whose elements and forces conform to laws as constant and pervasive as those which govern the material universe, and that the study of these laws will enable man to ameliorate his condition, to emancipate himself from the cruel dominion of superstition, and from countless evils, which were once thought beyond his control, and will make him the master rather than the slave of nature. Mankind have been slow to believe that order reigns in the universe—that the world is a cosmos and not a chaos. The assertion of the reign of law has been stubbornly resisted at every step. The divinities of heathen superstition still linger, in one form or another, in the faith of the ignorant, and even many intelligent men shrink from the contemplation of one Supreme Will acting regularly, not fortuitously, through laws beautiful and simple, rather than through a fitful and capricious providence. LECKY tells us that in the early ages it was believed that the motion of heavenly bodies, as well as atmospheric changes, were effected by angels. In the Talmud a special angel was assigned to every star and every element, and similar notions were general throughout the middle ages. The scientific spirit has cast out the demons and presented us with nature, clothed and in her right mind, and living under the reign of law. It has given us for the sorceries of the alchemist the beautiful laws of chemistry; for the dreams of the astrologer the sublime truth of astronomy; for the wild visions of cosmogony the monumental records of geology; for the anarchy of diabolism the laws of God. But more stubborn still has been the resistance against every attempt to assert the reign of law in the realm of society. In that struggle statistics has been the handmaid of science, and has poured a flood of light upon the dark questions of famine and pestilence, ignorance and crime, disease and death.

We no longer hope to predict the career and destiny of a human being by studying the conjunction of planets that presided at his birth. We study rather the laws of life within him and the elements and forces of nature and society around him. We no longer attribute the untimely death of infants to the sin of Adam, but to bad nursing and ignorance. We are beginning to acknowledge that:

"The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars, but in ourselves, that we are underlings."

Governments are only beginning to recognize these truths. In 1853 the Presbytery of Edinburgh petitioned the British Ministry to appoint a day of national fasting and prayer in order to stay the ravages of cholera in Scotland. Lord PALMERSTON, the Home Secretary, replied in a letter, which a century before no British statesman would have dared to write. He told the clergy of Scotland that "the plague being already upon them, activity was preferable to humiliation; that the causes of disease should be removed by improving the abodes of the poor, and cleansing them from those sources of contagion which would infallibly breed pestilence, and be fruitful in death, in spite of all the prayer and fastings of a united, but inactive nation."

HENRY THOMAS BUCKLE expressed the belief that this letter will be quoted in future ages as a striking illustration of the progress of enlightened public opinion. But that further progress is possible is seen in the fact that within the last three years an English Bishop has attributed the rinderpest to the Oxford Essays and the writings of COLENSO. Until recently historians studied nations in the aggregate; now, statistical inquiry leads into the hovels, homes, workshops, mines, fields, prisons, hospitals, and wheresoever the seeds of national growth or decay may be discovered. Without statistics MACAULAY's third volume could never have been written. The statesman and legislator must also have access to statistics which reveal the great laws of social life. The light of statistics is needed by the statesman in order to frame laws for the correction of abuses and wrongs. Who doubts that ere many months the Press of the country will burn down the whipping posts of Delaware. Sir GEORGE CORNWALL LEWIS shows that politics is taking its place among sciences, its superstructure resting on classified facts; and the registration of political facts may be considered as the entrance to politics, as it furnishes the material upon which to operate and build upon. He states that the practical statesman can hardly take a single safe step without consulting these records, whether he be framing a plan of finance or considering the operations of an existing tax, following the variations of trade, studying public health or examining the effects of criminal law. NAPOLEON said, "Statistics is the budget, and without a budget there is no public safety." We can all agree with GOETHE, that "figures show how the world is governed." Baron QUETELET, of Belgium, gives great stress to the benefit the world has derived from statistical science in elevating the morals of all mankind.

Mr. GARFIELD cited the fact that the importance of statistical science was growing, and nearly every modern nation has established a bureau for the uses of statesmen and science. In thirty States of Europe where the census is now cultivated, not one of their central bureaus was organized prior to 1800. The chief instrument of American statistics is the census, which should serve the country twofold—by making a full and accurate exhibit of the elements of national life and strength, and by exhibiting general results to be compared with similar data obtained by other nations. The origin and development of the American census was then considered in the light of its national uses and its relation to social science. The efforts to obtain a reliable census in the earlier history of our country were not very successful, much superstition being found among the people. The Colonial Governor of New-York in 1715 suggested that a computation be made, based upon militia returns, on account of this superstition. This superstition is traced down to 1857, when a speaker in Washington denounced a census as illegal, and thought that the Police should be enjoined from asking questions proposed. Provisions were made in the Constitution for the taking of a triennial census, on which to base charges for war and other national expenses. An eminent French writer on statistics, referring to this constitutional provision, said it was a phenomena for a new Government to thus institute the statistics of their country on the very day of its foundation. The American founders, however, looked only to practical ends, and the census was not, so far as known, then considered in its scientific bearings. As illustrating the growth of the American census, it is worth observing that the report of the first census was an octavo pamphlet of fifty-two pages, and that of 1800 a folio of seventy-eight pages. On the 2d of January, 1800, a memorial of the American Philosophical Society, signed by THOMAS JEFFERSON, its President, was laid before the Senate. In this remarkable paper, written in the spirit and interest of science, the memorialists prayed that the sphere of the census might be greatly extended, but it does not appear to have made any impression on the Senate, for no trace of it can be found in the annals of Congress. The results obtained by the first six censuses were meagre for the purposes of science. That of 1790 embraced population only, its single schedule containing six inquiries. That of 1800 had only a population schedule, with fourteen inquiries. In 1810 an attempt was made to superadd statistics of manufactures, but the results were of no value. In 1820 the statistics of manufactures were again worthless. In 1830 the attempt to take them was abandoned. In 1840 there were schedules of population and manufactures, and some inquiries relating to education and employments. The law of May 23, 1850, under which the seventh and eighth censuses were taken, marks an important era in the history of American statistics. This law owes many of its wisest provisions and the success of its execution to Mr. JOSEPH C. G. KENNEDY, under whose intelligent superintendence the chief work of the last two censuses was done. This law marks the transition of the American census from the merely practical to the scientific phase. The system thus originated needs correction to make it conform to the later results of statistical science, and to the wants of the American people. Nevertheless it deserved the high commendations passed upon it by some of the most eminent statisticians and publicists of the Old World; while recognizing the great relative merits of the last census, it is also evident that the important advance made in Social Science, and the great changes that have occurred in our country during the last decade, require a revision of the law.

To this end I shall examine, first, some of the principal defects in the methods of the existing law, and, second, the defects in the inquiries made in the schedules.

The speaker contended that the taking of the census should not be in charge of United States Marshals, as they are not chosen with a view to fitness for any statistical inquiry, and even if qualified, have other important and onerous duties to perform; besides which they are unpopular from their official character. The varied duties devolving on Marshals in collecting census returns were plainly shown as being not only unequally divided, but too large for any one man to perform thoroughly. Too much time is allowed for taking the census and publishing the results. The report of the census of 1850 was not printed till 1853, and the volume relating to manufactures was not printed till 1859. The preliminary report of 1860 was not printed till 1862; the full reports on population and agriculture were delayed till 1864, and those on manufactures and mortality till the end of 1866. The plan adopted in England of taking the census in one day, which being confined to facts of population only, and the fact of great density of the inhabitants to a small extent of territory, could not be carried out in this country. But our census could be taken in one month. The present method also induces the concealment from a disposition on the part of the people to avoid answering so many questions, the importance of which they fail to appreciate. The facts given by families also should be held secret in the Census Bureau. The compensation for taking the census is of doubtful wisdom, three different plans of payment being followed. The rules of compensation also offer temptations to exaggerate some of the returns and to make constructive charges. The law should be amended so that the supervision and enumeration should be made by persons specially chosen for fitness for the work, in no way connected with the national constabulary or with the assessment or collection of taxes. The districts should be small enough for one man to arrange the work by designating census takers. Congressional Districts would be the most convenient. Separate schedules, at least for the household, the farm and the manufacturing and commercial establishments, should be distributed a month or a fortnight before the day to which the enumeration relates, so that the people may be familiarized with the inquiries made, and that, as far as possible without the aid of census takers, the blanks may be filled up. This will insure greater correctness, and will greatly reduce the time required for the enumeration. By the use of these schedules, and an organization such as has been suggested, it is believed that the enumeration may actually be completed in one month from the first of June. It should be put into the law, and into the official oath of all officers and employes of the Bureau, that the returns are confidential; that the business of no citizen shall be made public; that the returns of money values shall not in any way be made the basis of taxation, nor be used as evidence in the courts. These provisions of the law should be printed in the schedules, and the President should be requested to issue his proclamation, calling upon all the people to aid in making the returns as full and accurate as possible.

A liberal compensation, in the simple form of salary or per diem, with no mileage or constructive charges, should be provided so as to command and insure the best talent of the nation for the execution of the work. Small pay in the matter would be wastefulness. A sufficient clerical force should be employed in Washington to tabulate, condense and arrange the whole for publication in one year, or at the farthest, two years after the returns are in. The results can be published in a form considerably more condensed than in the last report. The defects in the inquiries prescribed in the present schedule are set forth at great length and reforms pointed out in detail. He proposes several reforms in statistics of agriculture and industry, in order to enhance their value to all interested throughout the country. He forbears discussing the taking of social statistics, as discussions bearing upon them will take place at this Convention, and closes by urging the establishment of a National Bureau of Statistics under the direction of experienced statisticians. He concludes as follows: We have already a Commissioner of Mining Statistics; some provisions in the Treasury Department for financial statistics; a department whose chief function is to collect educational statistics, and some attention is given to statistics in the Department of Agriculture. It is greatly to be regretted that these statistical forces have not been consolidated, the scope of their work enlarged and the whole thoroughly organized, the whole of which could be done at an expense not greatly increased. But at this late day it is manifestly impossible to organize and equip a permanent statistical bureau in time to take the next census, and hence, regret it as we may, we must again depend wholly on the Census Office.

In conclusion, the American census should furnish a muster roll of the American people, showing as far as it is possible for figures to show, their vital, physical, intellectual and moral power; it should provide us with an inventory of the nation's wealth and show us how it is invested; it should exhibit the relation of population to wealth, by showing the distribution of the one and the avocation and industries of the other. The ninth census of the United States will be far more interesting and important than any of its eight predecessors. Since 1860, in spite of its losses, the nation has doubtless greatly increased in population and in wealth. It has taken a new position among the nations. It has passed through one of the most bloody and exhaustive wars in history. The time for reviewing its condition is most opportune. Questions of the profoundest interest demand answers. Has the loss of nearly half a million young and middle-aged men, who fell on the field of battle, or who died in hospitals or prisons, diminished the ratio of increase of population? Have the relative numbers of the sexes been sensibly changed? Has the relative number of orphans and widows perceptibly increased? Has the war affected the distribution of wealth, or changed the character of our industries? and, if so, in what manner and to what extent? What have been the effect of the struggle on the educational, benevolent and religious institutions of the country? These questions and many more of most absorbing interest, the census of 1870 should answer. If it does not, the failure will reflect deep disgrace on the American people.

At the close of General GARFIELD's address, which was frequently applauded, GEORGE WM. CURTIS was introduced and read the last paper of the evening, entitled

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

In this paper Mr. CURTIS sought rather to call attention to the necessity of the reform by exposing the present condition of the service, and the inevitable result of the existing system, than by considering the details of a method. He began by relating an anecdote of President LINCOLN's humorous impatience at the importunity of politicians seeking to control appointments. The present qualification for the civil service of the United States is unscrupulous party zeal. Our system, therefore, is the most ignorant, wasteful and destructive possible. It not only fosters political corruption, but it poisons the springs of moral action in the nation itself, and so endangers its permanence, violating the fundamental principles of thrift and economy. We furnish the internal condition that an enemy most loves to see. The same simple virtues that founded the nation can alone preserve it. These are the plainest of truths, but we despise them. It is claimed that ours is a Government of parties, and that parties can be effectually managed only by patronage. But, actually, this is a Government of the people through parties; and when it is urged that the dominant party must be supported by the public treasury, it is really asserted that frugality, efficiency and honesty are incompatible with popular government. The practice of a strict party disposition of the public service was not that of the first Administrations; but even then the evils of a want of proper organization were apparent. Office was held at the will of the appointing power, not by any tenure of fidelity or industry. Continuance in office was the practice, but it was not the law. The practice, however, founded in reason was so respected that the Congressional Committee upon Retrenchment state they have not learned of the removal of a single subordinate officer, except for cause, from the beginning of WASHINGTON's Administration to that of JACKSON. Vacancies which were not "made, but happened," were filled, however, from the dominant party. President JACKSON introduced the present system, which makes the emoluments of the whole civil service the spoils of the successful party. Its motto is vae victis—woe to the conquered—and whichever party is the victor the country is always the victim. Every four years the whole machinery of the Government is pulled to pieces, and the great officers of the United States become mere officeholders. The subordinate officers are not appointed for fitness, and the country is, therefore, served more wretchedly, and at a more extravagant rate, than any citizen. The officer, taught by the system to consider his office an measure prize, seeks to make the most of it in the shortest time. He is judged by the appointing power not by the manner in which he does his duty, but by the zeal with which he serves his party. He must do the "hard work" of the campaign, and so sophisticated has the public mind become that an officeholder writes that officeholders ought to take the active business of parties into their own hands. The public yields, and the consequence and the result is that we are obliged to vote for candidates nominated by those who are selfishly interested in their success. Of course the reputation of the service is long since ruined. There are, indeed, men of the highest honor, industry and ability in the civil service of the United States; but those qualities do not make them any surer of their positions. They know better than any of us that a position procured without qualification and lost without fault, a post without honor or promotion, cannot appeal to the ambition of worthy men. But the system is not only absurd and wasteful. By exasperating party spirit it makes the food of thousands of families dependent upon the result of an election, and so embitters the election to a perilous degree. Nor are its evils limited to the service. The bad example vitiates every department of activity and industry. If fitness is disregarded in public office, it will become less valuable in private employment. Moreover, the moral standard of the country must inevitably decline, and we shall see conspicuous citizens publicly professing respect for those whom they would not welcome to their homes. These facts must at last force home the question whether a nation becoming morally rotten can long endure. The civil service reform therefore begins with the assertion that there is no reason in the nature of things, nor of our form of government, why the United States should not manage its affairs with the same economy, ability and honesty that private business is managed, and that to do this the most obvious means must be used. The basis of any good system must be some kind of competitive examination for which the bill introduced by Mr. JENCKES provides, and the value of which has been tested in other countries. The objections to the reform show rather a desire to oppose than reason in opposition. It is asserted that the proposed reform is not agreeable to the spirit of popular institutions; that it would create a privileged class and a Circumlocution Office; that an examination proves nothing but literary ability; that it is borrowed from monarchical Governments. These objections were considered in order, and the paper closed with an appeal to the public conscience and common sense to grapple with the trading politicians. The Rings of every kind will assist. Let them resist; our duty is to rout them.

The Convention then adjourned until to-day at 3 P. M.

The Democrats of the Sixth Judicial District have nominated Hon. HEZEKIAH STURGES, of Cooperstown, now County Judge of Otsego County, for Judge of the Supreme Court.

ITALY.

The City of Milan—The New Municipality—Physical and Political Features—The Lombard Bishop—Tourists' Movements.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MILAN, Monday, Oct. 11, 1869.

Besides the names by which they are known to all the world, the principal Italian cities, like our own, have some drawn from some local characteristic. Thus we have Firenze la bella, or Florence the beautiful; Roma la eterna, or the Eternal City; Venezia la gaia, the lively or gay city; Genoa la superba, and Milano la ricca, and so on to the end. This City of Milan has a good claim to its title, for after Naples, which has more than twice its population, it is without doubt the richest of all the Italian centres of commercial life. Placed in the middle of a broad region of great fertility, it has in agriculture an unfailing source of wealth upon which to fall back. It has much accumulated capital, and is the residence of many bankers and ancient rich families. Within a few years the prosperity of the place has received a new impulse, and the inhabitants possess qualities of character which, whether under Austrian or Italian rule, are calculated to make this prosperity sure. Considerable has been done to add new embellishments to the city, and these new works are yet far from being completed. The people of Milan are justly proud of the new Victor Emmanuel Gallery, and it is one of the things which visitors first go to see and most admire. It almost rivals the Cathedral in magnificence; indeed, at the first glance, its cruciform plan gives the effect of a cathedral structure, and its nave and transepts are as wide and lofty as those of the great church itself. Its shops are as elegant as any in Europe, and its roof of iron and glass is an abyss of dazzling illumination. In the evening it is the favorite place of promenade of the better-dressed portion of the population, and for the accommodation of large numbers there is ample space. It is strange that New-York does not take it into its head to add to its beauties and conveniences a structure of this kind, and, if it chooses, on a scale even more magnificent—which, indeed, seems almost unnecessary. This structure is raised for trade, and the object is profit; but it is not less monumental. One admirable thing about every Italian improvement of this kind is the character of permanence which is given by solidity of construction. There is no buckram or tissue paper sham. An eye is had not only to the profit and enjoyment of the day, but of many generations, and the great buildings which are now raised will stand long enough for time to paint them with the rich color which it has left upon so many of the monuments of the past.

Milan has some features, which more than anything at Florence, give it the aspect of a capital city. But nature has done for the latter what no inventions of art or expenditure of money can ever produce here. The municipality of Florence is at this moment expending more than it can probably afford; but had it unlimited opulence, or the wealth which may some day be its portion, it could be made by art the most attractive city in Europe, as it is already by nature the most charming. As it is, there is no doubt much of truth expressed by the word so often in Italian mouths in speaking of what is done there—and that word is meschino. Yet Milan, with all its wealth, is evidently a little disposed to practice the same thing, for I notice it is the habit here at 10 o'clock at night for the lamplighters to go about putting out every other gas light. As an evidence of the very practical habit now established, it may be mentioned that gas has been introduced into the Cathedral, the first time that I have noticed in Italy an innovation formerly considered profane. It would be going too far, perhaps, ever to expect to see a jet of gas burning before the shrine of the Virgin, but no one can say with certainty what may happen in the galloping search for conveniences of this utilitarian time.

Milan is in some respects a model city. Its streets are admirably paved, and are kept not less admirably clean. The town has an aspect of extreme tidiness, and signs of decay are nowhere observed. For cleanliness Florence and Turin deserve equal praise, and the traveler will be obliged to look elsewhere for the filth and squalor which he has been so often told are common in Italy. As he moves toward the south of the Peninsula, or traverses the territory still under the benignant rule of the Pope, he will see poverty and dirt holding their reign with much of the romantic color which gives beauty to pictures more than to the real scene.

Politically, Milan is determined not to play an inferior part in the new order of things. Faithful to duty as a member of a political combination with a power far greater than that of the old, Milan seems destined to be the seat of an important Democratic Republican influence. Some of the most active and enlightened leaders of the advanced party have their home here, and from the shadows of the Alps to the shores of the Romagna large numbers of the population look to these chiefs for guidance. Republicanism is well grounded in the habits of thought of the population; although there is little in the history of Lombardy and no monuments here to awaken memories such as those which make the Genoese, the Venitians and the Florentines, dwell with pride and pleasure upon the glorious epochs associated with the Republics of the past.

The people of this and other parts of Italy are called upon to reform their dialects, of which that of Lombardy is one of the rudest and least intelligible. At least half a dozen dialects are spoken in the Peninsula, and they are to all intents so many distinct languages, so far as they have for effect to keep the various portions of the population asunder. Stopping at Bologna, on my way up here I had opportunity to converse with a Professor of the University, who has given much attention to the subject of a common language for all Italy. Of course a general system of common school instruction is the only means by which such an end can be reached; but the country will reach it, although it may be only after many years, if it continues to move steadily forward in the path upon which it is already well entered.

The hotels of Milan are now pretty well filled with travelers moving from the north toward central and southern Italy. The great Brera Palace has daily its throng of visitors, and the language of half a dozen civilized nations are heard on all sides. The Brera is an excellent collection, and worthy of so refined a capital as Milan, but it is only the vestibule of the great temple of art which Italy has opened for the admiration and worship of the world. Our country people are taking their places as usual in good numbers in the procession, and calming by degrees the fever of a life of action only too intense by musing upon aesthetic ideals, the growth of a more ascetic and contemplative past.

ANGELICO.

The Pistol in a Smoking Car—A Lawyer Shoots a Merchant.

From the Louisville Express, Oct. 23.

A very terrible affair occurred this morning, about 8:30 o'clock, on the down passenger train from Lexington, while running along between North Benson and Bagdad. The facts, so far as learned from passengers and officers on the train, are as follows:

ALEXANDER ROBERTS, a lawyer, and MARION BOHANNAN, a merchant, had a lawsuit yesterday in Frankfort, and, after the suit was over, had some hard words on the subject. They both returned in the train this morning for their homes, and, as it so happened, were both in the same car. They were not very long out of Frankfort when the quarrel recommenced. ROBERTS got up out of his seat, and going forward, asked the conductor to let him go into the smoking-car, as he did not want any further difficulty with BOHANNAN. On entering the forward car he told the brakeman not to let that man come into the car, as he did not want any fuss. He had not been long in the car when BOHANNAN entered, and approached him with a pistol in his hand. ROBERTS sat still till he arrived near his seat, then drew a Derringer pistol and shot. BOHANNAN fell dead instantly. ROBERTS called the attention of all in the car to the circumstances under which he did the shooting, and when asked where the ball struck, replied that it would be found in the heart, and so it proved. Of course there was great excitement in the car, though not many were present. ROBERTS gave himself up to the conductor, and on arriving at Eminence was turned over to the officers of the law.

The body of Mr. BOHANNAN was left at Bagdad, the nearest point to his residence. He was a merchant in [illegible]; a man about 45 years [illegible] and leaves a family to mourn their loss.

ALEXANDER ROBERTS is a lawyer, now living in Shelbyville, and formerly a [illegible].

The Suffrage—An Appeal for the Colored Men.

Some leading colored citizens of this State, whose names are printed below, have issued an appeal to the people for an extension to the colored men of the right to suffrage. They say:

What we ask of you is the recognition of our manhood. We are taxed as men, conscripted to defend our country when in peril as men, punished for any infraction of law at least as sternly as other men. Why should we not vote as men? We claim no exemption; we ask no favor. We only ask that our voice, feeble though it be, may be heard in common with yours in choosing those by whom the laws are to be made and executed. He who rejects our prayer virtually proclaims that there is no right and no wrong in politics, and that the rule of the strongest is the law of society and the dictate of Heaven.

We most respectfully solicit the prayers of every Christian henceforth, and the vote of each and all on the day of election. We ask every religious journal, of whatever sect or denomination, to publish this appeal forthwith; and we entreat every minister of the Gospel, without distinction or exception, to present our cause and petition to his flock in the course of his pulpit exercises on Sunday, Oct. 31. If, out of the fullness of his heart, he can say something in our behalf, so much the better; if not, let him read this appeal to his flock, and ask them to respond thereto in the spirit of Him who is no respecter of persons, and who is preeminently a God of justice and freedom. Yours, imploringly, Rev. CHARLES B. RAY, (Congregationalist;) Rev. AMOS N. FREEMAN, (Presbyterian;) Rev. WILLIAM F. BUTLER, (Methodist;) Rev. WILLIAM SPELLMAN, (Baptist;) Rev. JOHN PETERSON, (Episcopalian;) WILLIAM P. POWELL, PETER W. DOWNING, JAMES W. DUFFIN, JOHN J. ZUILLE.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, Oct. 23, 1869.

What Governor Brownlow Thought of Judge Cooper.

From the Knoxville (Tenn.) Press, Oct. 23.

Judge HENRY COOPER is elected United States Senator from Tennessee for six years from the 4th of March, 1871.

Judge COOPER is a native of Maury County, but removed to Bedford, where he was married in 1850. He was subsequently elected to the Legislature from that Floterial District, in a hotly contested canvass, by a majority of 500. He was again sent to the Legislature, from the county proper, over one of the most popular men in the district, by about twenty votes. The vote in this election was the largest ever polled in the county up to that time. He received the appointment of Judge from Governor JOHNSON, and served with great credit to himself until 1866, when he accepted a chair in the Faculty of the Cumberland University at Lebanon. During his term on the Bench, he several times sought to resign, but his resignation was not accepted, or rather the Governor of the State (BROWNLOW) insisted upon his retaining the position, and, in a subsequent message to the Legislature, referred to him as one of the purest and most upright members of the State Judiciary, and, though opposed to him politically, earnestly protested against his resignation from the position he had filled with such honor to himself and service to the State. Judge COOPER was never a personal applicant for any office, and was never defeated in any canvass before the people. He is justly regarded one of the rising statesmen of Tennessee, universally esteemed for his spotless character, his eminent abilities and genuine conservatism. In politics he was a consistent Whig, a staunch Unionist during the war, and since as thoroughly a Conservative.

Recovery of a Meteoric Stone in Georgia.

From the Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer, Oct. 23.

We have heretofore copied statements concerning the appearance and explosion of a large meteor in Stewart County, followed by the fall of a number of meteoric stones. Yesterday we were favored with one of these stones, which fell in the yard of Mr. E. BARLOW, about eleven miles southwest of Lumpkin. It fell within six feet of two negro girls, and buried itself in the ground to the depth of about eight inches. The fall was preceded by a loud explosion and a rumbling noise.

The stone sent us is about as large as a medium-sized apple, but is nearer square than round. It is quite heavy for its size, and is encrusted with a black coat as thick as an egg shell, which was evidently formed while the stone was in a state of combustion during its passage through our atmosphere. In color and grain this stone looks like an amalgam of granite and marble—not so coarse as the former, nor as white or fine-grained as the latter.

Internal Revenue, Fourth District New-York.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In your comparative statement of internal revenue collections for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1868 and 1869, a typographical error occurs seriously prejudicial to the officers of this district, and which I beg to correct. The figures should read as follows:

Collections in July, August and September, 1868	$751,200
Collections in July, August and September, 1869	960,300
Gain in 1869	$209,100

Your figures made the collections for 1869, $690,300, instead of $960,300.

C. THOMSON, Deputy Collector.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1869.

Recent Charges of Smuggling—A Correction.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

We believe it to be due to ourselves and friends to state that the charge of smuggling entered against us by Mr. TOOLE is simply based upon the fact that we bought about a year ago in the regular course of legitimate business, at fair market prices, twenty thousand cigars from a man who afterward was discovered to have swindled the Government in an ingenious manner out of the duties due on some of his importations. Having given publicity to this serious accusation, you will do an act of justice by giving this statement room in your paper.

Very respectfully,

SCHRODER & BON.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1869.

The Charges Against Lawyer Letts.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

An article appeared in your issue of the 26th inst., headed "Charges against a New-York Lawyer for Practicing without a License," in which my name is mentioned. Allow me to say that I retired wholly from the profession three years ago, and that Commissioner SHIELDS promptly dismissed the charge as frivolous, very much to the discomfiture of a hungry and thirsty informer.

J. M. LETTS,
No. 54 William-street.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1869.

The Albany and Susquehanna Railroad War in the Courts—The Recent Freshets—The Courts Running the Road.

The litigation in the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad war came up in a new shape on Monday before Judge JOHNSON at Rochester. Mr. BANKS, the receiver, presented a petition stating that he had been put to very great expense in repairing the damages caused by the recent freshets; that he had no resources except about $60,000 in bank, and certain claims, some of which the debtors refused to pay, and there are outstanding liabilities of the road to a large amount, besides interest on the mortgages, a part of which fell due Oct. 1, and part of which will be due in November, and that the bondholders threatened to foreclose the mortgage. He states that the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Albany owe about $83,000, which they decline to pay for two reasons: first, because they understand they are in some of the numerous suits arising out of this contest, enjoined against paying; second, because they claim to have an offset of $25,000. He further states that a large amount of the bonds of the Company under third mortgage, signed, but never issued, are in his possession.

He asks the Court to compel the bank to pay over, and asks for directions as to the order in which he shall pay off the various classes of debts when he gets funds, and whether he is authorized to sell or pledge these bonds to raise money for these purposes. The Court heard an argument on these questions and reserved its decision.

W. L. LEARNED for receiver; MATTHEW HALE for the Ramsay directors; DUDLEY FIELD for the Church directors.

Congressional Investigation—Rear-Admiral Davis' Testimony.

Several members of the Congressional Committee on Foreign Affairs are holding sessions at the St. Nicholas Hotel this week, for the purpose of taking testimony in the case of PORTER C. BLISS and GEO. F. MASTERMAN, formerly members of the United States Legation in Paraguay, who were imprisoned by order of LOPEZ, and subsequently sent on board United States vessels belonging to the South Atlantic Squadron, where, as they allege, they were made prisoners and "treated with indignity and insult by officers of the United States Navy." Yesterday Rear-Admiral CHARLES A. DAVIS, who was in command of the squadron at the time, gave his testimony, which was quite lengthy, occupying the entire day, and relating to the reception on board the Wasp and Guerriere of BLISS and MASTERMAN, and their subsequent treatment. On the last point Admiral DAVIS' statements differ materially from those of the petitioners.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Two Buildings in Fulton-street Consumed—Spire of the Old Dutch Church Destroyed—Building in Dutch-street Damaged—Total Loss $300,000.

The most destructive conflagration that has recently occurred in this City broke out about 3 o'clock yesterday morning in the premises of DAVID CLOSE, first floor of No. 116 Fulton-street. This building and No. 114, adjoining, were of brick, six stories high, very old and dry, and having open communication on the two upper floors. The fire totally destroyed Nos. 114 and 116 Fulton-street, burned off the spire of the old Dutch Church, and inflicted material damage upon the building No. 15 Dutch-street.

Mr. JOHN P. HULL, publisher, was rescued from the third floor windows with difficulty.

The total losses reach $301,000, and are divided as follows:

No. 114 Fulton-street was owned by EDWARD WALKER, publisher and bookbinder, who occupied the third, fourth, fifth and sixth floors, together with the fifth and sixth floors of No. 116, and whose loss in building and stock is $100,000. The first floor was occupied by J. W. WALKER, boots and shoes. Loss, $15,000; insurance, $10,000. CHARLES H. JONES, job printer, second floor. Loss, $1,500; insurance not known.

In No. 116 Fulton-street, DAVID CLOSE, clothier, occupied the first floor. Loss $30,000; insurance $20,000. S. SHARDLOW, ivory turner, second floor. Loss $12,000; insurance $4,500. CLAYTON, STARR & LINDSAY, electrotypers, fourth floor and part of the third. Loss $8,000; insured for $6,000. JOHN P. HULL, publisher, part of third floor. Loss $2,000; no insurance. The building, owned by S. SHARDLOW, was valued at $30,000, and was insured for $14,000.

No. 15 Dutch-street is a five-story front with a four-story rear extension, owned by JAMES S. SMITH, manufacturer of military equipments, who occupied the first floor of the front as salesroom and all of the rear building as a workshop. His loss on building and stock was $5,000, and his total insurance on both $24,000. J. W. MOORE, dealer in hardware, on second floor; damaged by water $500, and insured for $600. HUTCHINSON & CO., printers, on the third floor; damages by water $1,000, and insured for $1,000. HENRY WILSON, paper cutter, on fourth floor; damage by water $700, insured for $2,500. JOHN B. LENNON, jeweler, on fifth floor, had no insurance, and was damaged $600.

The chief point of interest in the disaster was the old Dutch Church, which although some distance from the two burning buildings, was fired in the spire by flying brands hurled everywhere in the vicinity by the high wind that prevailed. The ancient and massive structure, owing to the non-combustible character of its materials rather than by the exertions of the firemen, was saved with the loss of its spire. The corporation owning the building, estimate the damage at $9,000, but are insured for $60,000.

October Sale of Coal—Large Rise in Stove Coal.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company sold 70,000 tons of Scranton coal yesterday afternoon. The price of stove coal advanced $1 a ton, the other being only slightly in advance of previous prices. The following table tells the story:

	Tons.	October.	September.
Lump	10,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Steamboat	13,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grate	10,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Egg	8,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stove	17,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chestnut	10,000	[illegible]	[illegible]

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part I. and Oyer and Terminer.—Held by Ingraham, J.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
983—Lester vs. Spofford.	2111—James vs. Bolton.
2091—Moy vs. Kessel.	2115—Stoye vs. Livitsky.
2093—Jarosiawski vs. Long Island Fuel Co.	2117—Stettheimer vs. Rothschild.
2095—Felb vs. Foster.	2119—Robinson vs. Haugh.
2097—McLeod vs. Harrington.	2123—McIntyre vs. Griffin.
2101—Swezey vs. Crane.	2125—Clarke vs. Muller.
2105—American National Bank vs. Waggoner, Jr.	2127—Lienau vs. Speery.
2107—Brooks vs. Harrington.	2129—Prentiss vs. Stockwell.
2109—James vs. Brown.	2133—Sigler vs. Pettigrew.
	2135—Wilson vs. Firemen's Fund Ins. Co.
	2137—Bligh vs. Dover.

Part II.—Held by Sutherland, J.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1486—Rosenthal vs. Pecare.	564—Baltimore Mining Co. vs. Holmes, &c.
1120—Clark vs. Gardiner.	1584—Nat. Bank of North America vs. Pemberton.
1494—Miler vs. Haines.	1588—Feistel vs. Brinckerhoff.
1498—First Nat. Bank of Cincinnati vs. Kelly, Sheriff.	1562—Dubois vs. Rolf.
1540—Hatch vs. Tessinger.	1534—Matthews vs. Nat. Expr. & Trans. Co.
1216—Williams vs. Ely.	1590—People's Bank vs. Mitchell.
1524—Gordon vs. Salomon.	1600—Cady vs. Kelly, Sheriff, &c.
1556—Weeks vs. Russell.	
1570—Zinn vs. Landauer.	
1572—Wright vs. Holbrook.	
1580—Wilson vs. Sturges.	
1198—Uhl vs. Minaldi.	
466—Howe vs. Warren.	

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Cardozo, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
117—Bartlett vs. Shirley.	314—Moody vs. James Fisk, Jr.
265—Kecler vs. Stenson.	
309—Atkins vs. Rowland.	

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Barnard, J.

This Court stands adjourned to Friday, the 29th inst., when the following calendar will be called:

Nos.	Nos.
200—Gilman vs. McLellan.	233—L. C. Challis vs. The Same.
232—Wm. L. Challis vs. Central Branch of the Union Pacific Railroad Co.	142—Vose vs. The Florida Railroad Co.
	262—Galinger vs. Galinger.
	463—Stanley vs. Miller.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Barbour, C. J.

Nos.	Nos.
1067—Finnegan vs. Samtels.	1255—Deshotner vs. Flem.
1231—Moran vs. Lent.	1261—Schafer vs. O'Brien.
1227—Eton vs. Layster.	1265—Driscoll vs. Murray.
1240—Beck vs. Sinbert.	1267—Simpson vs. Simpson.
1189—Mercer vs. Bowles.	1269—Moran vs. Wood.
1061—Cooper vs. Randolph.	1259—Chapman vs. Goldman.
1289—Ocleltan vs. Nicholl.	1271—Beal vs. Lohman.
1287—Watson vs. Park.	

MARINE COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Calendar for the 28th, 29th and 30th inst.—Held by Alker, Gross and Curtis, J. J.

Nos.	Nos.
1—Rooney vs. McGay.	7—Mackay vs. Comstock.
3—Noyes vs. Irwin.	8—Tracy vs. Wood.
4—Kelly vs. Mackay.	9—Kennelly vs. Haines.
5—Mass vs. Gresson.	10—Massey vs. Harney.
5—Feldman vs. Gebhard.	11—Finch vs. Harway.
6—Holyoke Warp Mills vs. Freund.	12—Mason vs. Wahama.
	13—Hoffmire vs. Duffy.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—OCT. 27.

By Judge Cardozo.

The United States Life Insurance Company vs. Adams; motion granted.

Potter vs. Hyman; default opened, judgment to stand as security.

Phelan vs. Phelan; the policy of the law is against divorces; the decree should, therefore, be opened, not on the ground of fraud, but because the defendant denies all the charges, and the application to be relieved from the default is speedily made, and the default reasonably excused; the defendant may answer in five days.

Fowler vs. Lowenstein; motion denied.

Hess vs. Kauffer; motion denied.

Holland vs. Hilton; motion denied, $10 costs to abide the event.

Welth vs. Bank of North Carolina; order settled.

Vanderbilt vs. Kirwin; motion granted; $10 costs to abide event.

Preston vs. Coleman; motion granted.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM—OCT. 27.

By Judge Barnard.

Foster vs. Lent; complaint dismissed; judgment for the defendant.

Thomas vs. Spencer; judgment for plaintiff for $4,000.

THE DUFFY DIVORCE CASE.

The motion in this case to set aside the decree of divorce which had been adjourned until yesterday, came up before Judge JONES of the Superior Court. The lawyer who appeared for the husband, being satisfied that the decree was obtained by forgery has consented that the judgment be opened and the cause sent before a referee, the wife to have alimony at the rate of $8 per week during the pendency of the suit, and a counsel fee of $150.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

No. 158.—*The Materials, &c., of the Monitor Comanche vs. The Coast Wrecking Company of New-York.*—Appeal from the Circuit Court of the District of California. The libelants are the Coast Wrecking Company, chartered by the Legislature of New-York, with power to engage in a general towing and salvage business, to maintain the necessary vessels and apparatus, and to make charges for salvage and enforce them in the same manner as private parties; and in pursuance of such authority the Company maintains constantly, in readiness for emergencies, vessels and apparatus specially adapted to the service, and keeps, as claimed, a staff of officers and men of established experience and skill as wreckers, divers, engineers, &c.

In November, 1863, the ship Aquila, owned by Donohue, Ryan & Secor, a California firm, having arrived in San Francisco from New-York, laden with the materials and armament of the monitor Comanche, which was to be constructed, under contract with the Government, by these firms, sunk at her moorings in port. The owners of the ship abandoned ship and cargo, the latter being but partially insured, to the agents of the underwriters at San Francisco. The agent did not accept, but jointly with the Government Superintendent for the building of the monitor, took vigorous measures to save the property, which were continued for several weeks, at a cost to the underwriters of $60,000, but were finally given up.

The Coast Wrecking Company at New-York, at this juncture, agreed with the underwriters to undertake the salvage of the materials of the monitor; and dispatched to San Francisco a party of professionals under command of the Superintendent of the Company, which commenced operations the latter part of January, 1864, and completed the service in about six months. The original value of the property saved—the materials, &c., for the monitor—was $600,000, $60,000 of which was uninsured. The Wrecking Company received $65,000 for the service, half cash and half in currency; but $15,000, represented by the Columbian Insurance Company, the Company having failed, was not paid. To recover the $15,000 unpaid by the Columbian Insurance Company and salvage on the $60,000 uninsured this libel was filed. In the District Court below the decree was for the libelants, and they were awarded the sum of $24,082 25 with interest. This decree was affirmed at the Circuit, and the cause was then brought here, the appellants claiming that the Company cannot claim as a salvor, because a salvor is one who renders personal service, which can be claimed only by persons engaged therein. If the libelant can be a salvor it cannot claim as the sole salvor, and payment to it would be no protection to the claimants against its employes, and each of whom can maintain his separate action for his services. It is also contended that this is not a case of salvage service, because a contract was made with the Company to perform the service for a sum certain; and that, even if it is held to be a case of salvage, the amount allowed in this case violates the established principles of law and justice regulating compensation for salvage. It is also objected that the decree is vague and uncertain. The Company contend that the service was eminently a salvage service. It was a voluntary service rendered by them in the saving of the cargo in peril on board of the wrecked ship. The case presents all the ingredients of a salvage service; the danger from which the property was rescued; the value of the property; the risk incurred in the salvage; the value of the property employed in the service; the skill and knowledge shown in rendering the service, and the time and labor expended. Public policy requires this service to be compensated, not in proportion to the value of the property, but in proportion to the hazard of the service, with a view to the encouragement of such services. The same policy demands that the means of salvage shall be the most efficient possible; hence the Court of Admiralty has not hesitated to accept all beneficial modes and instruments of salvage service, which, from time to time are developed by the progressive forces of society, even though they may depart from the settled rule of decision. The old rule that none can claim salvage who do not take part in person in the service, has been often disregarded in important cases, and is now rather the exception than the rule. As where a ship sends part of her crew on salvage service, those who remain on board are entitled to share in the salvage earned; where salvage was allowed to the owner of the ship engaged in the service, though he was absent and ignorant of the transaction. The departure in favor of the owner of the vessel was carried still further in the case of steamers, when they first came into use. The greatly increased power and efficiency of these vessels, then a new force in the maritime world, were cordially welcomed in Admiralty in the first case that arose.

John E. Ward for the appellants; Senator Conkling for the Wrecking Company.

THE YERGER CASE.

Chief Justice CHASE said, in reply to the suggestion of Mr. Philips yesterday, that it was undeniably a matter of discretion with counsel when to move for a writ of habeas corpus in the Yerger case. The point of jurisdiction having been determined, the Court would hear a motion for the writ whenever counsel should see proper to make it.

The following-named cases were argued:

Ovendane Brothers, plaintiffs in error, vs. Edward J. Gay.—In error to the Circuit Court for the District of Louisiana, involving an advance of money to raise the crops of 1865–1866.

The steamer Carroll, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, claimants, vs. John Green.—Appeal from the Circuit Court for the District of Maryland. This is a case of collision between the Carroll and schooner Loan, near Point no Point.

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE.

Before Commissioner Shields.

THE SAGER CUSTOM HOUSE FRAUDS.

The case of Frank Webb, who was arrested some time since for complicity with General E. Sager in the Custom House frauds, was resumed yesterday. Clarence M. Buel was examined by the Government. The further hearing was adjourned until the 29th inst., at 10 A. M., at the United States Circuit Court rooms.

Mr. Simonson, Assistant United States District Attorney, for the Government; J. L. Hill, for the defendant.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—PART I.

Before Judge Ingraham and a Jury.

REPLEVIN—JUDGMENT AGAINST AN INTERNAL REVENUE OFFICER.

James Lane vs. —— Andrews.—This was a replevin suit, brought by the plaintiff, formerly a distiller in this City, against the defendant—formerly a Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue under Callicot—to recover a horse, wagon, harness, blanket and robe, valued at $650. The plaintiff claimed by his proof that in May, 1867, he had loaned the defendant the property in question to use in riding around and making seizures under an extraordinary commission which the latter had received from Washington about that time; that after the defendant had used the property for about three months, the plaintiff sent a letter over by a friend to the defendant to return the property in question. The defendant replied that he would see the plaintiff the same day, or would send the property over the next day. The plaintiff introduced other witnesses to fortify his version of the loan.

The defendant, on the other hand, was put on the stand and testified that the plaintiff was an informer in his employ; that he had loaned the plaintiff $50, and had borrowed the property in question for a few days; that he liked it so well that he bought it of the plaintiff for $450, and had paid him by relinquishing his aforesaid loan of $50, and by giving the plaintiff, at Delmonico's saloon in Broadway, four $100 bills, about a week after he borrowed it. The defendant also introduced D. C. Birdsall, one of his attorneys, who testified to a conversation with the plaintiff, when the latter told him that he had given the articles in question to the defendant, and on the witness replying to the plaintiff that he did not think the defendant would accept it as a gift, the plaintiff replied he had sold them to the defendant, which was as good as a gift.

The plaintiff, on being recalled, positively denied that he ever sold the property in question; that he did not borrow any money of the defendant.

Here was a dead lock in the testimony. Other testimony of a nature to impeach the plaintiff's veracity was introduced; and he, on the other hand, introduced testimony to support his veracity. The Court, in its charge, held that the testimony on that point was balanced.

The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff, valuing the property at $600, and six cents damages for detention.

For the plaintiff, Dennis McMahon; for the defendant, Mr. Hagood.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—OCT. 27.

Before Chief Justice Barbour and a Jury.

RUN OVER BY A WAGON.

Julia Sheehan vs. James M. Edgar.—This was an action brought to recover damages for being run over and injured by a grocery wagon. The plaintiff sustained injury to her foot, which confined her to the house for about six weeks.

On the trial there was a failure of proof as to whether or not the wagon belonged to the defendant, and on this ground the complaint was dismissed.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—OCT. 27, 1869.

FIRST BOARD—10½ A. M.

$10,000	U. S. 6s, '81, R.	119¼	10	Gallatin Nat. Bk.	[illegible]
17,000	U. S. 6s, '81, C.	119¾	200	Cum. Coal Pf.	[illegible]
20,000	U. S. 5-20 R., '62	114¾	100	do. b30	[illegible]
1,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '62	120¾	400	West. U. Tel. b3	37
5,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '64, s3	118¼	400	Pac. Mail s15	[illegible]
			200	do.	62
14,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '67	117¾	100	do.	[illegible]
75,000	do. s3	117¾	100	U. S. Ex.	[illegible]
1,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '68	117¾	200	do. bet. call	57
300	U. S. 5-20 C., '65, new, small	117½	100	Wells-Fargo b30	21¼
			100	N. Y. Cen. R.	[illegible]
1,550	do.	117½	200	do.	[illegible]
10,000	U. S. 5s, 10-40 C.	108¾	100	do.	[illegible]
1,000	Tenn. 6s, n.	54	200	Harlem	[illegible]
6,000	N. C. St. 6s	47½	12	Reading	[illegible]
1,000	N. Car. 6s, n.	[illegible]	210	do. bet. call	[illegible]
100,000	do. spec. tax	39½	1000	L. S. & M. S.	[illegible]
5,000	do.	39½	10	do.	[illegible]
10,000	do. 3d call	40	100	Mich. Cen. R.	123
13,000	Mo. State 6s	88	100	Clev. & Pitts.	101
1,000	do.	87¾	100	Chi. & N. W.	71¾
1,000	La. 6s, Lev. B.	61	200	do.	71¾
5,000	Brook. 6s, W. L.	[illegible]	300	Chi. & R. I. b3	[illegible]
2,000	Ga. St. 7s	91¾	200	Mil. & St. Paul	[illegible]
1,000	Erie 2d M.	94	200	Mil. & St. P. Pf.	[illegible]
7,000	Erie 4th M.	80	100	do. s30	81
3,000	Chi., B. & Q. 8s	106	300	do.	81
10,000	M. So. S. F. Bds.	93½	100	do. b30	[illegible]
2,000	Cen. Pac. R. R. gold bonds	93	100	do.	[illegible]
			100	Pitts., Ft. W. & C. guar.	85
1,000	Chi. & N. W. 1st	[illegible]	100	Tol., W. & W.	[illegible]
3,000	Alton & T. H. 2d M. Pf.	80¼	100	Chic. & Alt. Pf.	141½
4,000	Tol. & W. 1st M. ex.	[illegible]	5	Chic., B. & Q.	[illegible]
			30	N. J. Cen.	97
1,500	A. & T. H. Inc.	75	200	do.	[illegible]
5,000	C. & R. I. & P. R. 7s	95	100	Dub. & S. C.	[illegible]
			100	Col., C. & I. C. R.	[illegible]
3,000	C. & P. 2d M.	90	100	Alt. & T. H. Pf., b60	[illegible]
1,000	M. & St. P. 8s, 1st	100¼			
10,000	M. & St. P. 1st	[illegible]			

SECOND BOARD—12 M. AND 2½ P. M.

$2,000	U. S. 6s, '81 R.	119¼	$29,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '67	117¾
10,000	U. S. 6s, '81, C.	119¾	1,000	do.	117¾
10,000	U. S. 5-20 R., '62	114¾	25,000	do. b3	117¾
500	U. S. 5-20 C., '62	119¾	2,000	U. S. 5-20 R., '67	117¾
20,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '64	118½	5,000	U. S. 5s, 10-40 C.	[illegible]
45,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '65	119¼	12,500	do.	[illegible]
7,000	do.	119¼	10,000	U. S. 5s, 10-40 R.	[illegible]

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

$10,000	Tenn. St. 6s, x. c.	61½	150	Pacific Mail	[illegible]
2,000	Va. St. 6s, ex c.	[illegible]	100	Lake S. & M. S.	[illegible]
10,000	N. C. St. 6s	47	500	do.	[illegible]
20,000	N. C. St. 6s, n.	[illegible]	100	Chi. & N. W.	70¾
20,000	do. spec. tax	[illegible]	700	do.	[illegible]
10,000	do. b15	[illegible]	200	Reading b3	[illegible]
10,000	Mo. St. 6s	87¾	100	C. & N. W. Pf.	[illegible]
5,000	La. 6s	[illegible]	200	do.	[illegible]
1,000	P., F. W. & C. 1st	[illegible]	800	do. s10	[illegible]
5,000	Gt. West. 2d M.	82¾	1000	do.	[illegible]
12,000	Col., C. & I. C. R. 1st M.	75¼	200	Chi. & R. I.	[illegible]
			100	do. b30	[illegible]
25	Manhattan Bank	140	100	Mil. & St. P. Pf.	[illegible]
100	West. U. Tel.	37	500	do.	[illegible]
100	Mariposa	8½	100	do. b10	[illegible]
100	Quick. Min. Co.	12¾	15	P., Ft. W. & Chi., guarant'd	[illegible]
100	Cum. Coal Pf. b60	25			
20	Adams Ex.	[illegible]	500	Chic. & Alt. s30	[illegible]
200	Am. Mer. U. Ex.	35	400	Ohio & Miss.	[illegible]
100	N. Y. Cen.	[illegible]	400	Col., C. & I. C. R.	22
100	do.	[illegible]	100	do.	[illegible]

NEW NATIONAL BOARD—NOON.

$50,000	Amer. Gold b3	130	200	Reading	[illegible]
20,000	do. b3	130	200	do.	[illegible]
200	Cumberland s	25½	100	Erie	[illegible]
100	Mariposa	8½	200	do. s3	[illegible]
100	do. b30	8½	200	Chi. & N. W.	70¾
200	Mariposa Pf.	18¾	100	do. b10	71
100	Harlem R.	142¾	200	Rock Island	[illegible]
100	West. U. Tel.	36½	200	do.	[illegible]
100	do. b3	36½	100	Pacific Mail	62

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 27—P. M.

Gold has become very abundant by the Interest disbursements from the Treasury Office which commenced yesterday on both the coupon and registered November Interest, free of abatement. These payments were $1,500,000 yesterday and $2,000,000 to-day. The price of Gold is 130 ₩ cent., with scarcely the show of fluctuation through the sales of the day. The market is weakened to-day by the further decline in the Foreign Exchanges, which have sold freely to-day at 109@109⅛ for 60 days London, and 5 francs 16¼

continues @ 5 francs [illegible] centimes to the dollar in Paris. A leading house sold [illegible] Francs at 160, less a brokerage, to the buyer this forenoon, which established the decline from yesterday. The impression appears to be that Exchange drawn against Cotton from the Southern ports offered is coming into this market pretty freely. At all events the anxiety to sell Bills by the leading Brokers has sensibly increased since last week.

The Treasury bought $2,000,000 United States 5-20s for the Sinking Fund at noon to-day. The offers amounted to $5,652,000; the award was in the round sum of $2,000,000 to Messrs. Fisk & Hatch at 114.58@114.60 ₱ cent. for the face of the Bonds; the accrued Gold Interest to be added and paid at the Treasury as a separate transaction. The large offering and the comparatively cheap rates of the award to a leading house usually on the Bull side of the account in the Public Funds, caused a further weakness in 5-20s in the open market, the January and July issues leaving off at 117 ₱ cent.

In the Money market the lending to the Brokers strictly on call is going on at very cheap rates, 5 to 6 ₱ cent., while on time Money is worth all the way from 7 to 10 ₱ cent. ₱ annum. Singular to say, the abundance and cheapness of Money at the close of October are construed to mean a severe pressure before the New Year, if not in November; but the force of this deduction is not so readily discovered.

The Railway market continues very dull, and the changes to-day in the New-York Stocks are against the prices of yesterday. The business is comparatively limited in amount, and while the market is evidently bearish in the main there is no very strong disposition evinced to sell large lines of any of the Stocks on speculation for a further decline.

After the late Boards the following quotations were made as compared with Tuesday Afternoon. The St. Paul Stocks were weak, and the Lake Shore dull at a decline of 1@1½ ₱ cent. from yesterday. Gold a fraction below 130 ₱ cent.:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS, OCT. 27.

	Tuesday.	Wednesday.
United States 10-40s	108	108
United States 5-20s of 1862	120⅛	120⅛
United States 5-20s of 1867	117¼	117
American Gold Coin	130⅛	129⅞
Bills on London, 60 days	109½	108⅞
New Bonds of Tennessee	53⅞	54
Old Tennessees	61½	61½
North Carolina Bonds, new	38	39
Old North Carolinas	48	48
New-York Central	188⅞	182½
Reading Railway	96⅞	96¼
Chicago and Rock Island	105⅛	104⅜
Northwest Common	71⅜	70⅞
Northwest Preferred	84	83⅞
Pacific Mail Company	60	60⅛
St. Paul Preferred	81½	80⅞
St. Paul Common	69	68⅞
Hudson River	172⅜	172¼
Lake Shore	92⅝	91⅞
Erie	30⅞	29⅞
Ohio and Mississippi	26⅛	25⅞

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States:

6s coupon reg., 1881	119⅛	5-20 coup., 1867	117
6 ₱ cent. coup. 1881	119⅛	5-20 coup., 1868	117
5-20 coup., 1862	120⅛	10-40 registered	107⅞
5-20 coup., 1864	115⅞	10-40 coupon	108
5-20 coup., 1865	116	6s Currency	107⅞
5-20 coup. n. i., 1865	117		

And the following for the State Bonds;

Indiana 5 ₱ cent.	[illegible]	Connecticut 6s	[illegible]
Tenn. 6s, ex coup.	61½	Rhode Island 6s	[illegible]
Tenn. 6s, new bonds	[illegible]	Alabama 8s	[illegible]
Va. 6s, ex coup.	[illegible]	N. Y. reg. Bnty Loan	[illegible]
Va. 6s, new bonds	[illegible]	N. Y. coup. Bty Loan	[illegible]
Georgia 7s, new bds.	[illegible]	N. Y. 6s, C. Loan, 1870	[illegible]
N. C. 6s	[illegible]	N. Y. 6s, C. Loan, 1872	[illegible]
N. C. 6s, new bonds	[illegible]	N. Y. 6s, C. Loan, 1873	[illegible]
N. C. special tax	[illegible]	N. Y. 6s, C. Loan, 1874	[illegible]
Missouri 6s	[illegible]	N. Y. 6s, C. Loan, 1875	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	N. Y. 6s, C. Loan, 1877	[illegible]
Louisiana 6s, lev. bds.	[illegible]	N. Y. 5s, C. Loan, 1874	[illegible]

And the following for the Railway Mortgages: [illegible]

And the following for the City Bank Stocks:

New-York	138	Bank of the Republic	118½
Manhattan	143	Hanover	105
Merchants'	[illegible]	Irving	[illegible]
Mechanics'	141	Market	[illegible]
America	142	Nassau	[illegible]
City	210	St. Nicholas	[illegible]
North River	[illegible]	Commonwealth	110⅛
Tradesmen's	[illegible]	Importers' & Traders'	140
Leather Manufacturers'	[illegible]	Park	[illegible]
National	114	Man. & Merchants'	100
Merchants' Exchange	118	Central National	105
Seventh Ward	112	Fourth National	104⅛
State of New-York	112	Ninth National	114
Commerce	126	Tenth National	95
Ocean	91	Eleventh Ward	[illegible]
American Exchange	108	Gold Exchange	[illegible]
[illegible]	170	Bank's & Brok's Asso.	100

OFFERINGS OF UNITED STATES BONDS, OCT. 27.

[illegible list of offerings by Fisk & Hatch, Bernard & Hutton, White, Morris & Co., C. F. Strauss, Humbert Bros., Newton, Russell & Co., J. A. Garland, Marx & Co., E. Swan & Co., H. F. Verkerven & Co., H. Clews & Co., Corne & Stanton, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., Leland Bros. & Co., G. W. Gilbert, Buckingham & Brown, H. A. Heiser's Sons, Drexel, Winthrop & Co., Jas. T. Bates, First National Bank, Fisk & Hatch, W. Doubleday, Chase & Higginson, at prices ranging from 114.50 to 115.[illegible]]

AWARDS OF UNITED STATES 5-20S, OCT. 27.

Fisk & Hatch ... $2,000,000 at 114.58@114.60

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 27, 1869.

General balance yesterday	$91,300,913 19
Gold receipts	2,182,740 [illegible]
Gold payments	3,153,919 [illegible]
Gold balance	81,994,510 54
Currency receipts	1,570,789 70
Currency payments	529,925 42
Currency balance	4,164,[illegible]
General balance	86,430,027 28
Customs—included in gold receipts	426,000 00

PHILADELPHIA STOCK BOARD, OCT. 27.

Telegraphed to Messrs. Smith, Randolph & Co.

	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, Old	96	
City 6s, New	100⅜	100⅝
Camden and Amboy	119½	120
Pennsylvania Central	55½	
Reading	48⅛	48¼
Lehigh Valley	56½	
Catawissa Preferred	36½	
Philadelphia and Erie	28½	
Northern Central		47¼
Lehigh Navigation	33⅜	34
Lehigh Gold Loan		

The Governing Committee of the Stock Exchange has decided that thirty days' notice to the board is not required in making stock dividends. This question, says the *Commercial Advertiser*, was raised in connection with the recent scrip dividend of 15 ₱ cent. made by the [illegible].

The return from the Bank of England for the week ended the 13th of October, gives the following results when compared with the previous week:

Rest	£3,[illegible]	Increase	£7,[illegible]
Public deposits	[illegible]	Decrease	[illegible]
Other deposits	[illegible]	Decrease	1,1[illegible]
Government securities	[illegible]	No alteration.	
Other securities	[illegible]	Decrease	[illegible]
Notes unemployed	[illegible]	Decrease	[illegible]

The amount of notes in circulation is £24,319,[illegible], being a decrease of £[illegible]; and the stock of bullion in both departments is £19,120,601, showing a decrease of £[illegible] when compared with the preceding return. Subjoined is a comparison of the present position of the Bank of England and the prices of Consols and French Rentes with the corresponding week of last year:

	At Present.	Same Week Last Year.
Bullion	£19,120,601	£20,104,[illegible]
Reserve	9,910,[illegible]	10,048,[illegible]
Notes in circulation	24,319,[illegible]	24,515,[illegible]
Rate of discount	3½ ₱ cent.	2 ₱ cent.
Consols	93⅜	94⅜
French Rentes	71f. 20c.	67f. 95c.

The Paris *Journal Official* of Oct. 15 publishes the following official figures from the Bank of France:

	Oct. 7. Francs.	Oct. 14. Francs.
Capital of the bank	182,500,000	182,500,000
Profits in addition	7,044,776	7,044,776
Reserve of the bank	22,105,750	22,105,750
Landed property	4,000,000	4,000,000
Notes in circulation	1,389,746,000	1,387,818,600
Bank notes to order	47,007,700	47,148,[illegible]
Treasury account	177,882,010	188,104,412
Current accounts	332,703,[illegible]	312,741,944
Current branch banks	45,046,405	45,719,622
Dividends payable	1,284,479	1,205,621
Discounts	4,809,880	4,[illegible]
Rediscounted	991,480	[illegible]
Sundries	12,710,248	10,662,[illegible]
Total	2,197,572,173	2,194,942,341
Cash in hand	1,287,916,[illegible]	1,221,207,[illegible]
Commercial bills overdue	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commercial not yet due	304,691,[illegible]	304,404,[illegible]
Commercial branch banks	372,[illegible]	374,[illegible]
Advances on bullion	16,919,000	17,500,300
Branch banks	8,827,300	8,962,300
French public securities	16,137,200	16,111,200
Branch banks	7,376,100	6,042,[illegible]
On railway shares, &c.	22,042,200	20,294,[illegible]
By the branch banks	22,080,600	22,[illegible]
On credit Foncier	[illegible]	[illegible]
Branches	1,170,200	1,270,200
To the State	60,000,000	60,000,000
Government stock reserve	12,980,750	12,980,750
Government disposable	60,[illegible]	60,[illegible]
Rentes and immobiles	100,000,000	100,000,000
Hotel and furniture	9,156,780	9,159,780
Expenses of management	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Sundries	6,[illegible]	7,[illegible]
Total	2,197,572,173	2,194,942,341

The earnings of the Union Pacific Railroad Company are as follows:

Third week in October	$[illegible]
Oct. 1 to 22	616,792 47

Following is the Quarterly Statement of the National Banks of the City of New-York:

	Liabilities. June 12, '69.	Liabilities. Oct. 9, '69.	Comparisons.
Capital	$72,[illegible]	$73,[illegible]	$679,[illegible] Dec.
Net profits	27,[illegible]	27,[illegible]	144,[illegible] Dec.
Circulation	34,[illegible]	34,[illegible]	47,[illegible] Dec.
Due banks	[illegible]	[illegible]	2,[illegible] Dec.
Due depositors	136,311,977	131,595,[illegible]	4,717,[illegible] Dec.
Unpaid divid'ds	120,[illegible]	195,[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Total	$319,480,189	$310,621,514	$8,[illegible] Dec.
	Resources.	Resources.	Comparisons.
Loans and discounts	$174,[illegible]	$158,[illegible]	$16,201,116 Dec.
Stocks	54,[illegible]	52,[illegible]	1,267,175 Dec.
Real estate	6,930,[illegible]	7,218,344	287,[illegible] Inc.
Due from banks	14,[illegible]	15,[illegible]	1,[illegible] Inc.
Cash items and bank notes	2,871,[illegible]	4,313,[illegible]	441,100 Inc.
Specie	15,471,212	19,704,240	4,232,[illegible] Inc.
Legal tenders	47,[illegible]	49,[illegible]	2,[illegible] Inc.
Overdrafts	205,[illegible]	239,[illegible]	33,796 Inc.
Total	$319,480,189	$310,621,514	

Quarterly Statement of the State Banks of the City of New-York:

	Liabilities. June 26, '69.	Liabilities. Sept. 25, '69.	Comparisons.
Capital	$11,[illegible]	$12,[illegible]	$1,[illegible] Inc.
Net profits	4,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	[illegible] Dec.
Circulation	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Due banks	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Due depositors	23,[illegible]	22,[illegible]	[illegible] Dec.
Unpaid dividends	122,[illegible]	118,[illegible]	[illegible] Dec.
Total	$41,732,704	$42,491,010	$757,306 Inc.
	Resources.	Resources.	Comparisons.
Loans and discounts	$27,[illegible]	$28,[illegible]	$1,[illegible] Inc.
Stocks	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Real estate	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Due fr'm banks	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible] Dec.
Cash items and bank notes	126,[illegible]	218,[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Specie	2,311,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	1,[illegible] Inc.
Legal tenders	5,[illegible]	5,[illegible]	[illegible] Inc.
Overdrafts	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Dec.
Total	$41,732,704	$42,491,010	

STATE DEBT AND FINANCES OF TENNESSEE.

Bonds loaned to railroads, ante-war	$[illegible]
Bonds to fund interest thereon	[illegible]
New bonds to railroads, since war	[illegible]
Railroad bonds indorsed by State	[illegible]
Total railroad debt	$[illegible]
Bank, capital and other old debt	[illegible]
Total debt, Oct. 1, 1869	$[illegible]
Add July, 1869, interest unpaid	1,100,000
Together	$38,294,000
[illegible]	[illegible]

The annual report of the Comptroller remarks: From Oct. 1, 1869, to Oct. 1, 1870, this amount of money will be paid into the Treasury as State tax if the revenue laws are not so changed as to lessen it. To this is to be added the revenue derived from the privilege tax on insurance companies, bonus from banks, turnpike dividends, telegraph and express companies, the redemption of lands and town lots that have been sold for taxes and bid in for the use of common schools, and whatever may be received from the railroads.

As to the amount likely to be paid into the Treasury from these different sources, the Legislature will judge from the amount received during the present fiscal year. The amount paid into the Treasury during the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1868, by the railroads, was $[illegible] 14. During the year ending Sept. 30, 1869, it was only $780,[illegible] 50. This shows a falling off of $867,[illegible] 57. The cause of this deficit on the part of the railroads, was the inability of some of the roads, (that are unfinished,) longer to pay, and the refusal of others to pay, (able to do so,) unless the State would receive from them in payment of their indebtedness, past due coupons which they had purchased at a reduced price for that special purpose—as I have been credibly informed, and verily believe. The Memphis and Charleston Railroad Company, (due the State on interest account,) $85,381 63, proposed to pay its dues to the State—as above—to the fiscal agency of the State in New-York, on the 30th of June last; provided a portion of it, nearly half the sum, would be received in coupons.

Learning in June last that certain railroad companies had agreed among themselves not to pay their July interest, thus making it impossible for the State to meet its liabilities, and afterward, when our securities had depreciated, to buy up the coupons, and present them in payment of their July interest, I instructed our agency in New-York not to receive coupons from any road. The proposition of the Memphis and Charleston Railroad Company therefore was rejected, and the $85,381 63 remains unpaid.

The Mississippi Central and Tennessee Railroad Company has also failed to pay, notwithstanding the fact that its President was fully advised of the necessities of the State Treasury, and notwithstanding the ability of the Company to pay.

The case of these two roads is specially spoken of here in my report, for the purpose of calling the attention of the Legislature to the necessity of instituting measures to effectually checkmate the designs of railroad companies, which—dead to every principle of gratitude to the State that has warmed them into life—use every means within their reach to sink her into temporary bankruptcy for purposes of selfish speculation. These roads certainly ought at once to be put into the hands of receivers, and run in the interests of the State till the last farthing is paid.

My reasons for not accepting coupons from the roads in payment of their July interest last, may be stated as follows: The State lends its bonds to the railroad companies. The companies sell the bonds, and use the proceeds in building their roads. The holders of the bonds do not look to the railroad companies for the interest maturing on the bonds. That is the business of the State. So far as the payment to the State of the interest due by the companies on the bonds loaned is concerned, the law provides that it shall be paid by the companies to the State semi-annually, by the 15th day of June and December of each and every year, and not only the amount due, in many, but enough besides to pay for exchange, commissions, &c.

This being the law on the subject, it is evident that no railroad company has ever believed that it could force the State to take coupons in payment of the interest due by said Company to the State. The object of these companies, therefore, must have been to depress the price of the bonds of the State for purposes of speculation, by taking advantage of the peculiarly critical condition of the State Treasury at that time, which was well understood by them.

The report shows what roads have fully paid their interest. I am not of opinion that any of the roads have intentionally failed to pay except the two already named, and the Evansville, Henderson and Nashville. It owes the State $12,000 in interest, and I believe its purpose is to swindle the State. The Nashville and Decatur has paid $131,955 29 on its January and July interest, 1869. It still owes $15,255 28; but this will soon be paid. I have assurances, also, that the Knoxville and Charleston Railroad will soon pay the amount of interest due by it.

It seems evident that the State has increased her liabilities (by loaning her bonds to railroad companies that failed to pay the interest on them) to such an extent, that it will be impossible for some years to come to meet them.

Taking this view of the subject, I would respectfully suggest to your honorable body the propriety of selling a sufficient number of our roads, for the bonds of the State, to lessen our liabilities some eight or ten million of dollars. With this reduction in our [illegible] debt, our [illegible]

[illegible] AND FINANCE.

☞ THE CENTRAL RAILROAD OF IOWA. ITS SEVEN PER CENT GOLD INTEREST FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.

This Company is now building a railroad through the richest and most thickly settled portion of the State, making a direct connection between St. Louis and St. Paul, 147 miles shorter than any other route. The Directors of the Company are:

W. A. WHEELOCK, President Central National Bank, New-York.

J. J. DONALDSON, President Bank of North America, New-York.

W. B. SHATTUCK, New-York.

JOHN S. GILMAN, President Second National Bank, Baltimore.

THOMAS KENSETT, Baltimore.

HORACE ABBOTT, President Abbott Iron Works, Baltimore.

F. W. H. SHEFFIELD, President Merchants' National Bank, Dubuque, Iowa.

G. M. WOODBURY, President First National Bank, Marshalltown, Iowa.

Hon. J. B. GRINNELL, President First National Bank, Grinnell, Iowa.

Hon. W. H. SEEVERS, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

CHARLES C. GILMAN, Eldora, Iowa.

A party of these gentlemen not then connected with the enterprise, visited Iowa last Summer to thoroughly investigate its affairs, and on their return reported—

First—That the country along the line was admitted to be the garden even of that magnificent State.

Second—That it was the most thickly settled agricultural portion of the State, and that while its production was already sufficient to support a railroad, it would be doubled and trebled by the construction of such a line.

Third—That this railroad would have a great advantage over most others in carrying coal from where it is abundant in the southern part of the State to northern Iowa and Minnesota, where none is to be found, and in securing return freights of lumber, for which the demand is very great.

Fourth—That it was the only link wanting to connect St. Louis and St. Paul, in almost a direct line, 147 miles shorter than by any other route.

Fifth—That on the portion open for business the net earnings, over operating expenses, were then more than the interest liabilities on that length of road; that 45 miles would be completed this Fall; that about 60 miles more were graded, and that the people along the line had subscribed liberally to the Company's stock.

Sixth—That as the road has low grades and runs through the great coal fields, its fuel costs little, and its operating expenses are light.

Seventh—That Iowa would probably be the richest of all the Western States in agricultural productions, and that most of these products, unlike those of the Eastern States, must be carried away to a market, making large freights for railroads.

Eighth—That so far as they could learn, after diligent inquiries, there was not a single completed railroad in Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin or Minnesota that was not only earning the interest on its securities, but a good dividend on its stock.

Ninth—That there was no new railroad line in the West that promised so large a business or so safe a security.

Tenth—That bankers and other leading men of the State were identified with the enterprise.

Eleventh—That nearly a million and a half of dollars had already been expended on the work.

The First Mortgage Bonds are issued *only at the rate of $16,000 per mile*; they have thirty years to run, and bear SEVEN PER CENT. GOLD INTEREST, FREE OF GOVERNMENT TAX, interest payable in New-York on the 15th of January and July. Over $400,000 have already been taken. The Bonds are secured by a Deed of Trust to the FARMERS' LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY, and by its provisions the money can be used only for the completion of the work, so that they will always represent a real property.

While the First Mortgages upon most railroads are admitted to be the very highest class of securities, those of the Central of Iowa have some special advantages over other new or projected lines.

The forty-five miles now just completed connect two other important roads, and the next twenty-six miles give another valuable connection.

The amount to the mile is not more than one-half that of many other roads.

For the same length of line no other railroad in Iowa has so large an adjacent population or production.

The road is not built through a wilderness, but through a region of country already well settled, which gives to every mile immediate and profitable traffic.

The Bonds now offered are upon a finished portion of the road, whose net earnings are now greater than the interest liabilities upon it.

They are therefore recommended with entire confidence in their safety as well as profit. They pay nearly TEN PER CENT. on their cost. Holders of Governments can exchange them at their full market value without commissions. The price for the present is 95 and accrued interest. The right is reserved to advance it without notice. Pamphlets with map and full information may be obtained, and subscriptions will be received in New-York at the Company's office, No. 32 Pine-st., by the Bank of North America, No. 44 Wall-st., by Howes & Macy, Bankers, No. 30 Wall-st.

Pamphlets sent by mail on application.

W. B. SHATTUCK, Treasurer.

☞ BANKING HOUSE OF KISSAM & CO.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 22, 1869.

OBTAINED BY FRAUD.

$45,000 Brooklyn Assessment Bonds:

Nos. 1,454, 1,455, 1,456, 1,457, 1,458, 1,459, 1,461, 1,462, 1,463, $5,000 each, dated June 15, 1869.

All persons are cautioned against negotiating the same.

KISSAM & CO.

☞ FIRST MORTGAGE LAND GRANT BONDS of Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad Company. 7 per cent. gold interest, free of United States taxes. We recommend these bonds as a safe and profitable investment, producing nearly 10 per cent. per annum in currency, and in exchange for 5-20 bonds, yielding an increase of 40 per cent. in net annual income. Present price 95 and interest.

Full particulars furnished by JAY COOKE & CO.

☞ NEW-ORLEANS CITY BONDS. Six per cent. coupon, interest payable in this City January and July, due 1st January, 1875, for sale at 75 and accrued interest by MORTON, BLISS & CO., No. 30 Broad-st.

☞ DEAS & ELLIOTT, BROKERS IN STOCKS, Gold and Government Securities, No. 25 Broad-st., New-York. E. C. DEAS, Gold Board; R. S. ELLIOTT, New-York Stock Exchange.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1869.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs.	53	Buckwheat, bags	210
Beeswax, pkgs.	2	Hops, bales	1,431
Cotton, bales	[illegible]	Hides, number	840
Copper, bbls.	[illegible]	Leather, sides	14,[illegible]
Dried Fruit, pkgs.	425	Spts. Turp'ntine, bbls.	[illegible]
Eggs, bbls.	733	Rosin, bbls.	[illegible]
Flour, bbls.	17,1[illegible]	Petroleum, ref. bbls.	6,794
Wheat, bushels	248,123	Pork, bbls.	90
Corn, bushels	116,938	Butter, pkgs.	4,094
Rye, bushels	124	Cheese, pkgs.	5,[illegible]
Barley, bushels	15,925	Tallow, pkgs.	[illegible]
Oats, bushels	144,921	Oil Cake, pkgs.	120
Grass Seed, bushels	114	Rice, pkgs.	10
Flaxseed, bushels	362	Starch, pkgs.	1,342
Beans, bushels	[illegible]	Tobacco, hhds.	[illegible]
Cornmeal, bbls.	200	Tobacco, bxs. & cases	[illegible]
Cornmeal, bags	125	Whisky, bbls.	[illegible]
Oatmeal, bbls.	30	Wool, bales	[illegible]
Buckw't Flour, bags	130		

The export clearances since our last, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the steamship *Java*, from Liverpool—160 pkgs. Tobacco, 746 bales Cotton, 2 cases Cigars, 12 pkgs. Vegetables, 7 cases Sewing Machines, [illegible] bushels Wheat.

By the steamship *Minnesota*, for Liverpool—[illegible] bales Cotton, 250 bbls. Pork, 24,[illegible] bushels Wheat, 21 bales Rags, 2 cases Organs, 110 pkgs. Apples, 25 cases Worsteds, 80 tcs. Beef, 20 bales Hops.

By the ship *Plymouth Rock*, for London—[illegible] boxes Clocks, 11,214 bushels Wheat, 1,[illegible] bbls. Rosin, [illegible] bbls. Flour, 25 cases Paper, [illegible] lbs. Oil Cake, 345 sacks Oil Cake, 40,[illegible] lbs. Cheese, [illegible] bales Hops, [illegible] pkgs. Herbs, [illegible] Staves, 759 bbls. Oxide Zinc, [illegible] pkgs. Matches.

By the bark *Pasquale Apolla*, for Penarth Roads—[illegible] bushels Wheat.

By the brig *Christine*, for Oporto—[illegible] bbls. Flour, [illegible] bushels Wheat.

ASHES—Have been inactive at $7 37½@$7 62½ for Pots, and [illegible] for Pearls, ₱ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—Rio has been in moderate demand and steady; 1,[illegible] bags Rio, by the *South America*, changed hands on private terms. An auction sale of prime to choice Native Ceylon Coffee is announced for to-morrow, (Thursday,) Oct. 28, at noon. We quote: Java, [illegible]; Maracaibo, 15½c.@[illegible]; Laguayra, [illegible]; Rio, [illegible].

COAL—At the auction sale of Scranton Coal to-day, the bidding [illegible], but lost spirit toward the close, and the lots [illegible] the sellers. There were 70,000 tons sold, including [illegible] tons Lump at $5 [illegible]; 10,600 tons Grate at $5 [illegible]; [illegible] tons Egg at $5 [illegible]; 17,000 tons Stove at $5 [illegible]; 10,000 tons Chestnut at $5 [illegible], deliverable at Elizabethport, N. J. The range of prices at to-day's sale was from $5 [illegible] ₱ ton below the last monthly sale.

COTTON—Has been firm in price and rather more active, sales having been reported, since our last, of 2,911 bales (of which 265 bales were to arrive), including 1,288 bales to shippers, 874 bales to spinners, and [illegible] bales to speculators. Sales were also reported of 1,700 bales for forward delivery, including 100 bales average Low Middling, October, at [illegible] (in settlements); 100 bales average Low Middling, October, at 25c.; [illegible] bales average Low Middling, November, at 25¼c.; [illegible] bales average Low Middling, December, at 25¼c.; [illegible] bales on the basis of Low Middling, December, at 25¼c.; 100 bales do. do. January, 25¼c.; 200 bales do. do. January, at 25½c.; 100 bales do. do. February, at 26c.; 200 bales do. do. March, at 26c. ₱ lb.

Closing Prices of Cotton.

	Uplands.	Mobile.	N.-O.	Texas.
Ordinary	24⅛	24⅜	24½	24⅝
Good Ordinary	24⅞	25⅛	25	25⅛
Low Middling	25	25⅛	25⅜	25½
Middling	25⅞	25⅞	26⅛	26⅜

Movements of Cotton at this Port. Bales.

Receipts thus far this week	3,826
Receipts last week	20,251
Receipts the preceding week	24,740
Receipts since Sept. 1	118,[illegible]
Receipts since Jan. 1	480,[illegible]
Receipts year ending Sept. 1, 1869	[illegible]
Receipts year ending Jan. 1, 1869	[illegible]
Export clearances since our last	4,115
Exports since Sept. 1	[illegible]
Exports since Jan. 1	[illegible]
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1869	[illegible]
Exports year ending Jan. 1, 1869	[illegible]
Stock here	14,840

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been less sought after at drooping prices. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 2,930 bbls., including poor to choice Superfine State and Western at $5 [illegible]; very inferior to good Extra State at $5 [illegible]; good to choice Spring Wheat Extra State at $6 [illegible], and poor to good shipping brands of round hoop Ohio at $6 [illegible] ₱ bbl. We quote:

Superfine State and Western	$[illegible]
Extra State	[illegible]
Extra Illinois, Indiana, &c.	[illegible]
Extra Ohio, round hoop shipping brands	[illegible]
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands	[illegible]
Extra Genesee	[illegible]
Poor to Fancy Extra Missouri	[illegible]

Southern Flour has been in better supply and demand at declining rates. Sales have been reported since our last of [illegible] bbls., in lots, at from [illegible] for poor to fair Ordinary, and $6 [illegible] for fair Ordinary to very choice Extra, ₱ bbl. California Flour continues dull at unchanged prices. Rye Flour continues in fair demand at $4 [illegible] for inferior to very choice ₱ bbl.; sales 450 bbls. Cornmeal has been plenty and heavy at $[illegible] for Western, $5 [illegible] for Jersey, $5 [illegible] for Southern, and $5 [illegible] for Brandywine, ₱ bbl.; sales 475 bbls. Buckwheat Flour continues in moderate demand at from $3 75@$4 ₱ 100 lbs.

GRAIN—Wheat has been moderately active, opening more firmly, but closing easier than yesterday. Shippers have been the principal buyers. Sales have been reported since our last of 141,500 bushels, including White Western at $1 [illegible]; Red Western at $1 [illegible], chiefly at $1 [illegible] for Amber; No. 1 Spring at $1 [illegible]; No. 2 Spring at $1 [illegible], the latter rate for Old; Rejected Spring at $1 [illegible]; White Genesee at $1 [illegible]; Red and Amber State at $1 [illegible]; White Southern at $1 [illegible]; Red and Amber Southern at $1 [illegible] ₱ bushel, the latter an exceptional rate for very superior. Corn has been much brisker and dearer. The demand has been partly speculative. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 105,000 bushels at [illegible] for damaged and heated New Mixed Western; $1 [illegible] for poor to very choice Mixed Western; $1 [illegible] for White, and $1 [illegible] for Yellow Western ₱ bushel. Rye continues in limited request at $1 [illegible] for Western, and $1 [illegible] for State, ₱ bushel; sales, 3,700 bushels. Barley has been less active at [illegible] prices. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 7,[illegible] bushels at $1 [illegible] for two-rowed State, and $1 [illegible] for four-rowed State, ₱ bushel. Barley Malt has been in limited demand at from $1 [illegible] ₱ bushel. Oats have been moderately active and firm. Sales have been reported of [illegible] bushels, in lots, at [illegible], from depots and delivered, for Jersey, Southern, Western and State, ₱ bushel. The export clearances have been [illegible] bbls. Flour and 11,[illegible] bushels Wheat for London, [illegible] bushels Wheat for Liverpool, 16,[illegible] bushels Wheat for Penarth Roads, and [illegible] bbls. Flour and [illegible] bushels Wheat for Oporto. The Albany *Argus* says: "The boats which passed Fultonville between noon on Monday and noon on Tuesday covered [illegible] loads of Lumber, [illegible] of Wheat, [illegible] of Corn, [illegible] of Staves, [illegible] of Barley, [illegible] of Salt, [illegible] of Oil and Oats, and 1 of Flour. List of boats which passed Fultonville during twenty-four hours prior to 1:30 A. M., Oct. 26, 1869:

Lumber—E. P. Eno, Buffalo; James McConnell, Buffalo; [illegible] H. A. Barnum, Buffalo; Delos S. Harvey, Buffalo; Simon Cohen, Buffalo; Francis Keenan, Buffalo; H. Reed, Buffalo; Van Buren Nobles, Buffalo; Margaret Gerwig, Buffalo; T. E. Casler, Buffalo; Parker, Buffalo; L. H. Gilbert, Buffalo; James Roe, Buffalo; Horace White, Buffalo; Iowa, Buffalo; Belle Andes, Buffalo; R. A. Hale, Buffalo; J. L. Baker, Oswego; William H. Carter, Oswego; Lottie Rhines, Oswego; Bachelor's Home, Oswego; Jennie Diefendorf, Oswego; Chas. Bowley, Oswego; Ada M. Lee, Oswego; R. J. Howell, Oswego; Kankakee, Oswego; M. A. Eno, Oswego; W. H. Beach, Oswego; Ham & Post, Oswego; E. A. Card, Oswego; Hank Banker, Oswego; M. M. Donald, Oswego; Willis, Oswego; Ira Gould, Oswego; Chas. Everest, Oswego; T. R. Wright, Oswego; Green Bay, Oswego; Chas. Craig, Geneva; W. V. Weston, Boonville; G. H. Pierce, Tonawanda; M. Travers, Lyon's Falls; Emma Jane, Lyon's Falls; N. D. Bronson, Lyon's Falls; H. S. Starks, Buffalo.

Barley—St. Clair, Geneva; E. B. Hunt, Oswego; Scratchard & Belden, Oswego; Matilda, Albion; Saxon, Oswego; O. C. Knapp, Penn Yan.

Wheat—E. H. Gere, Geneva; J. H. Cain, Buffalo; Jennie, Buffalo; John Cody, Buffalo; J. W. Barker, Buffalo; Emma, Buffalo; Barna Van Vleck, Buffalo; M. Fisk, Buffalo; Harrison Jacobs, Buffalo; E. Hildreth, Buffalo; Mary Bennett, Buffalo; E. Doubleday, Buffalo; Merchant, Buffalo; V. W. Foster, Buffalo; D. Livermore, Buffalo; Live Oak, Buffalo; Laila Rookh, Buffalo; Harry Bradley, Buffalo; [illegible], Buffalo; Mathias Smith, Buffalo; H. Osborn, Buffalo; Maggie Stiles, Buffalo; Aldo, Buffalo; Frank Williams, Buffalo; Tim Dorlty, Buffalo; Ada Hester, Buffalo; Dexter, Buffalo; L. D. Cummings, Buffalo; C. M. Titus, Buffalo; Lewis E. Cole, Buffalo; Minnie Dingman, Buffalo.

Salt—L. R. Arnold, Syracuse; Kate McCord, Syracuse; A. Collins, Syracuse.

Staves—Edward Dixon, Buffalo; A. S. Beverly, Buffalo; H. E. Roberts, Buffalo; F. P. Hammond, Buffalo; Ezra Dickerson, Buffalo; W. L. Gilbert, Buffalo.

Corn—Dean Richmond, Buffalo; Cora Bell, Buffalo; Martha King, Buffalo; Kitty Culver, Buffalo; Mary C. Oulfield, Buffalo; William Park & Son, Buffalo; Rachael, Buffalo; Pride of the West, Buffalo; E. P. Hawley, Buffalo; Buffalo, Buffalo; Nelson Warner, Buffalo; Mary E. Sargeant, Buffalo; John Powers, Jr., Buffalo; E. Sears, Buffalo; Robert J. Moe, Buffalo; City of Albany, Buffalo; Flourbunt, Buffalo; Emily B. Tyler, Buffalo; J. C. Seaborn, Buffalo; Duncan, Buffalo; Jno. McKirone, Buffalo; Emily B. Buffalo; G. W. Wilmot, Buffalo; Sarah H. Foote, Buffalo.

Malt—S. S. Hoyt, Lyons Falls; S. F. Phelps, Buffalo.

Oil—Captain George, Buffalo; Fred. Delano, Buffalo.

Wood—G. W. Matthews, Boonville.

Oats—Jerry Small, Buffalo."

HAY—Bale Hay has been in good demand at [illegible] for shipping, and [illegible] for local use ₱ 100 lbs. [illegible] continues in demand at [illegible] for short and Long ₱ 100 lbs.

HIDES—Of the recent movements in this line, Messrs. HULL & CO. remark: "The receipts for the week have been light, embracing only 24,710 Hides of all descriptions, besides 50 bales from Calcutta. Sales have been large, amounting to 32,300 Hides and 120 bales, leaving a reduced stock of 116,180 Hides and 500 bales. *Dry Hides*—For this description, the market has ruled buoyant under an active demand from the trade and out-of-town buyers. Prices show an advance of [illegible] over last week's quotations, and the market closes strong at the advance. Sales to a considerable extent have been made to arrive, chiefly of Buenos Ayres and Rio Grande Hides, the latter to Eastern buyers. We notice the sales of 2,000 Orinocos for Canada at 21½c., less the duty. The stock is much reduced, there being few desirable lots on the spot, and little offering to arrive at our quotations. *Wet-salted Hides* are without change. The demand for City Slaughter is light, and the market is well supplied with Texas and New-Orleans. We note a sale of 260 Rio Grande Cows at 11½c. *Upper Leather Hides* have been in good demand, with large sales of Rio Grande, [illegible] of Africa in Boston and Salem of 25,000 Africans at 22c. for Sierra Leones and 20c. for Bissaus. *Calcutta Hides*—There is a fair inquiry for Buffalo, with sales of 100 bales, In Cows there is nothing doing. Receipts are 50 bales Buffalo per *Charlotte*."

HOPS—Have been in slack request, including New-York State New at 14c.@20c.; Eastern New at 12c.@18c.; Ohio at 12c.@18c.; Michigan, 12c.@18c. for common to fair; Wisconsin, 12c.@18c.; Yearlings, 8c.@9c.; Old Olds, 1c.@3c. ₱ lb. Receipts to-day, 1,431 bales; exports, 500 bales.

LEATHER—Sole has been firm, but less freely dealt in. The day's receipts have been 14,[illegible] sides.

LUMBER—In Albany, according to the *Argus*: "The sales throughout the district since our last report have been large, with active shipments and firm but unchanged prices. Since our report of the 12th inst., the receipts of Lumber, by both canals, have not exceeded 1,900,000 feet—a thing unprecedented in the history of our canals. Before our next report we may look for large receipts, but it is doubted if we shall be able to make up lost ground and present as large an aggregate of receipts at the close as we did in 1868. The increase in lake and canal freights, it will be seen, has materially diminished the receipts at Oswego. In addition to this, the continued firmness of English dealers in the Quebec market has a tendency to draw stock from this market, and thus strengthen prices here. The prospect now is that we shall close the season here with light stocks and consequent high prices in the Spring—a fact that will not be lost sight of by purchasers, who will stock up until the opening of the canal in 1870. Stocks of all descriptions are now light, and of course Lumber especially. The receipts at Chicago for the week ending Oct. 23 were 28,722,000 feet, against 21,987,000 feet for the corresponding week last year. The shipments for the week, 12,867,000 feet, against 16,862,000 feet for the corresponding week in 1868. The aggregate receipts since Jan. 1 are 888,075,000 feet, against [illegible] feet in 1868. The aggregate shipments since Jan. 1 are [illegible] feet, against 467,[illegible] feet in 1868."

The receipts at Albany by the Erie and Champlain Canals, from the opening of navigation to Oct. 22, were:

	Boards and Scantling, feet.	Shingles, M.	Timber, c. feet.	Staves, lbs.
1869	322,[illegible]	24,460	10,000	3,851,305
1868	362,537,000	25,412	65,638	22,346,400

The receipts of 1868 include some 21,000,000 feet of Boards and Scantling detained on the canal during the Winter of 1867-68.

There has been a good shipping trade since our last report. Freights are unchanged."

MOLASSES—Has been in less request at former rates. We quote Porto Rico at 50c.@75c.; Cuba at 3[illegible]c.@[illegible]c.; New-Orleans at 50c.@80c. ₱ gallon, and in detail lines:

	Old Crop.	New Crop.
Cuba, Centrifugal and Mixed, ₱ gallon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cuba, Clayed, ₱ gallon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cuba, Muscovado, refining grades, ₱ gallon	—@—	[illegible]
Cuba, Muscovado, grocery grades, ₱ gallon	—@—	[illegible]
Porto Rico, ₱ gallon	—@—	[illegible]
English Islands, ₱ gallon	—@—	[illegible]
New-Orleans, ₱ gallon	—@—	[illegible]

NAVAL STORES—Rosin has been slow of sale and rather heavy on the basis of [illegible] for Strained ₱ 280 lbs.; sales, 800 bbls. The receipts were 632 bbls.

OILS—Have been quiet at former figures, including Crude Whale at [illegible] for Southern and Western; Bleached Whale at $1 [illegible]; Crude Sperm at $1 [illegible]; Unbleached Sperm at $[illegible]; Bleached Sperm at $1 [illegible]; Lard Oil at $1 [illegible]; Red Oil at [illegible]; Linseed Oil at [illegible] in casks and barrels; Olive Oil at $1 [illegible]; Menhaden, [illegible]; Spermaceti, [illegible].

PETROLEUM—Oil of all kinds for early delivery continues scarce, and being held above the views of most buyers, only a very moderate business is in progress. Crude has been in demand at 18¾c.@19c., in bulk, with sales of 2,000 bbls. at 18¾c., chiefly for November delivery; 24½c.@25c. in shipping order here, and 25c.@25½c. in shipping order at Philadelphia, ₱ gallon. No receipts of Crude were reported here; at Philadelphia 850 bbls. arrived. Refined has been rather lightly dealt in on the basis of 33¼c. for Standard White for October, 33½c. for November, and 33¼c. for November and December delivery, ₱ gallon; total sales here, 4,300 bbls. At Philadelphia, 2,300 bbls. were reported sold, for October delivery, at 31¾c.@31¾c., 2,000 bbls. for November, at 31½c.@32½c., and 2,000 bbls. November and December, at 32¼c. ₱ gallon. The receipts of Refined here have been 6,794 bbls.; at Philadelphia, 3,216 bbls. There were no export clearances reported. Standard White in cases has been in light request at 36¼c.@38c., with sales of 1,000 cases at 38c.@38½c., and Prime White at 36½c.@38c. ₱ gallon. Naphtha continues in limited demand and quoted at 10½c.@11c., and 16c.@15½c. in cases ₱ gallon. Empty barrels for Refined Oil are scarce and quoted up to $2 60@$2 75 each.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been quiet, but quoted steady. Sales have been reported of 370 bbls., in lots, at $31 37@$31 50 for Western Mess, $32 50@$34 for City Mess, $27 50@$28 50 for Western and City Prime Mess, and $26 [illegible]@$28 50 for Prime to Extra Prime, ₱ bbl. Cut Meats have been inactive, but firm. Sales have been reported of 120 pkgs. at 14¼c.@15¼c. for Dry-salted and Sweet-pickled Shoulders, 18c.@19c. for Dry-salted and Sweet-pickled Hams, and 18c.@22c. for Bagged Hams, ₱ lb. Bacon has been in very moderate demand at about steady prices. Sales have been reported of equal to 60 boxes Ice-cured at from 17½c.@17¾c. ₱ lb. Lard has been held more firmly, but has been quiet. Sales have been reported of 350 tierces and bbls., in lots, at 17c.@19½c. for Poor, No. 1 to Choice Kettle-rendered, chiefly at 17¾c.@18¾c. for City, and 17½c.@18c. for Good to Prime Steam. Dressed Hogs rule dull at 13c. ₱ lb. Beef has been in slack demand at unaltered rates. Sales 100 bbls., in lots, at $6@$12 for Plain Mess; $12 50@$17 50 for Extra Mess, and $3 50@$5 for inferior grades barreled Mess Beef. Tierce Beef unaltered. Beef Hams are quiet at from $27@$28 for old, and $[illegible] for new, ₱ bbl.; sales 90 bbls., in lots. Butter has been quiet to-day at former rates. We quote State, common to very good, 28c.@42c.; Prime to Fancy, 42c.@48c., and Western, inferior to prime, 23c.@33c. ₱ lb. The receipts to-day were 4,094 pkgs. Cheese is in less request at from 18c.@19c., as the extremes, for Common to Choice Factory. The receipts of the day were 5,[illegible] boxes.

SUGARS—Raw Sugars have been quoted firm, with a rather lively inquiry noted, chiefly for refining grades. Sales 1,[illegible] hhds. Cuba and Porto Rico [illegible] from 11¼c.@12¼c., chiefly at 11½c.@11¾c., and 1,074 boxes Havana at from 12c.@12½c. ₱ lb. We quote: Fair to very good refining grades of Cuba, at 11¼c.@11¾c.; fair to very good grocery grades at from 12c.@12½c.; very good to choice do. at 12¾c.@13¼c. ₱ lb. Porto Rico grocery grades ranged from 12c.@13½c. ₱ lb. No. 12 Box Sugar, 12¾c.@12¾c. ₱ lb. We quote Box Sugar in detail thus: Boxes Dutch Standard, Nos. 7 to 9, at 11c.@11¼c.; Boxes Dutch Standard, Nos. 10 to 12, at 11½c.@12½c.; Boxes Dutch Standard, Nos. 13 to 15, at 12½c.@13½c.; Boxes Dutch Standard, Nos. 16 to 18, at 13½c.@14¼c.; Boxes Dutch Standard, Nos. 19 and 20, at 14½c.@15¼c.; Boxes Dutch Standard, White, at 14½c.@15½c. ₱ lb. And Bagged Sugar thus: Brazil, Dutch Standard, Nos. 8 to 12, at 11c.@12½c.; Java, Dutch Standard, Nos. 10 to 12, at 11½c.@12¼c. ₱ lb. Manila, Current Clayed and Superior, at 10¼c.@11¼c. ₱ lb. Refined Sugars have been in moderate request and heavy at from 14¼c.@16c. ₱ lb.

TALLOW, &c.—Sales have been reported of 75,000 lbs. of Tallow at 11¼c.@11½c.; also 25,000 lbs. Stearine at 17¼c.@19½c., and 31,000 lbs. Grease at 10½c.@12¼c. ₱ lb.

WHALEBONE—Sales have been reported to-day of 4,000 lbs. at $1, gold, for Arctic, and $1 25, currency, for Davis' Straits, ₱ lb.

WHISKY—Has been quiet at about previous prices, sales having been reported, since our last, of 150 bbls., in lots, at from $1 21@$1 22½, chiefly at $1 21½ ₱ gallon. Receipts, 654 bbls.

FREIGHTS—Have been quiet, but quoted firm. For Liverpool there were reported as having been engaged 1,300 bales Cotton at ⅝d. by sail and ¾d. by steam, ₱ lb.; 500 bbls. Apples by sail at 2s. 7½d. ₱ bbl.; 1,000 boxes Cheese by steamer at 60s.; 5,000 tierces; 1,000 bbls. Bone Dust by sail at 2s. 7½d. ₱ bbl.; 25 hhds. Tallow at 30s. ₱ ton, and 150 bales Hops by steamer on terms not reported. For Cork for orders, a bark with 2,500 quarters Wheat at 6s., and another vessel with 2,400 quarters Wheat at about the same rate ₱ quarter.

NEW-YORK CATTLE MARKET.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 27, 1869.

The market at One Hundredth-street, this morning, showed an increase of nearly ½c. ₱ lb. on what we have quoted for many days past. The grades of horned Cattle were from very poor to prime. The good grades were sought after eagerly, while the poor lots remained slow. This is as it should be; stockowners must learn that the New-York market has to be supplied with their best, both in flocks and herds. Prices realized were as follows: Prime Bullocks, 16¼c. ₱ lb.; first quality at 15½c.@16c. ₱ lb.; second quality, 13c.@14c. ₱ lb.; third quality, 12c. ₱ lb. Some coarse Beef Cows sold as low as 8c. ₱ lb. Highest prices quoted, 16¼c. ₱ lb.; lowest prices quoted, 8c. ₱ lb. This day's average, 14½c. ₱ lb.

SALES.

HUGHES & IZZER sold 34 Illinois medium cattle at 12½c.@14½c. ₱ lb., weight 8 cwt. T. H. WILLIAMS sold 82 Ohioes, good, at 15c.@16c. ₱ lb., weight 8½ cwt. W. SEGOLE sold 149 Illinois, fair to at 13c.@15c. ₱ lb., weight 6½ cwt.; also 140 Illinois, fair lot, at 13c.@15c. ₱ lb., weight 6½ cwt. D. WAHALL sold 48 Ohioes, good lot, at 14c.@16c. ₱ lb., 7½ cwt.; also, 45 Illinois very common, at 12c.@13c. ₱ lb., weight 6 cwt. COOK & THOMPSON sold 90 Ohioes, good lot, from 14½c.@16c. ₱ lb., weight 7½ cwt.; also, 176 Ohioes, good, from 14c.@16c. ₱ lb., weight 7 cwt. J. S. RICHARDSON, MARTIN & CARY sold 30 Illinois good cattle at 15c. ₱ lb., weight 7¼ cwt. J. WESTHEIMER sold 74 Ohioes and Virginians, mixed lot, from 10c.@16c. ₱ lb., weight on an average 7 cwt. S. ULRY sold 60 Ohioes, prime Cattle from 15½c. to 16¼c. ₱ lb., weight 8 cwt. ULRY & GOFF sold 113 Kentuckys, fair lot, from 14½c. to 16c. ₱ lb., weight on an average 7½ cwt. BENJAMIN & FAGAN sold 30 Indianas, fair lot, at 14½c. ₱ lb., weight 7 cwt.; also, 21 Canadas, light Common Cattle, at 8c. ₱ lb., weight 6½ cwt. BURCHARD & MERRITT sold 80 B. V. S. HANSAY 30 State Cattle, fair lot, from 14c.@16c. ₱ lb., weight 7¼ cwt.; also 35 Illinois light Cattle, from 14c.@15½c. ₱ lb., weight 6½ cwt. S. O. KNOWLTON sold for self a number of fresh Cows and Calves from $60@$120 ₱ head; average, $[illegible] ₱ head. These were good class milkers of the Durham and Hereford breeds.

ONE HUNDREDTH-STREET SHEEP MARKET.

The sales were few. Good Sheep sold at 6c. ₱ lb.; common Sheep, 4c. ₱ lb. Market rather better, and went off quicker than for some days previous; market closed firm as above. Prime Veals, 11½c. ₱ lb.; common Veals, 9c. ₱ lb. Gross arrivals at One Hundredth-street market for to-day, 310 head of horned Cattle, per Hudson River Railroad; 246 head of horned Cattle, 13 Cows, 259 Calves, 891 Sheep, per Harlem Railroad.

FORTY-EIGHTH-STREET SHEEP MARKET.

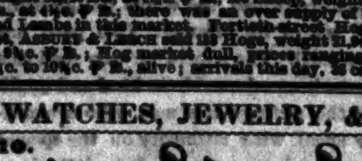
MCGRAW & REID sold 157 Sheep, weight 13,470 lbs. at 6c. ₱ lb.; 10 Sheep, weight 900 lbs., at 6c. ₱ lb.; 101 Lambs, weight 5,690 lbs. at 7¼c. ₱ lb. HUME & ELLIOTT sold 100 Sheep, poor grades, at $3 at $3 ₱ head; 54 Sheep, weight 4,920 lbs. at $2 37½ ₱ cwt.; 3 Sheep at $10 ₱ head; 201 Sheep, weight 18,690 lbs., at $4 75 ₱ cwt. J. KIRBY sold two car loads of Canada Lambs, coarse lot, weight on an average 75 lbs. ₱ head, at 5¾c. ₱ lb.; one care load of same weight, on an average 75 ₱ head, at 5¾c. ₱ lb.; 54 State Lambs, weight 51 lbs. at $4 ₱ head; 60 Sheep and Lambs, [illegible] at $4 ₱ head. Grass Calves sold from $7 50@$9 ₱ head. Gross arrivals for this day, 3,[illegible] Sheep and Lambs. The grades better, the market same as for some days past, yet trade looked somewhat likely to advance.

FORTIETH-STREET MARKET.

E. VAN WERT, for ASBURY & LEACH, sold 111 Lambs, weight 7,[illegible] lbs., at 7¼c. ₱ lb.; 200 Sheep, weight 16,720 lbs., at 4½c. ₱ lb.; 100 Sheep, weight 15,000 lbs., at 4½c. ₱ lb.; there was an over supply of Sheep and Lambs in this market. Fortieth-street Hog market, ASBURY & LEACH sold 136 Hogs, weight 21,940 lbs., at 9¾c. ₱ lb.; Hog market dull, prices ranging from 9¾c. to 10¼c. ₱ lb., alive; arrivals this day, [illegible] cars.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &C.

$10. $20.



$15. $25.

The celebrated IMITATION GOLD HUNTING WATCHES, "Collins Metal" (improved Oroide). These justly celebrated Watches have been so thoroughly tested during the last four years, and their reputation for time and as imitations of Gold Watches is so well established as to require no recommendation. Prices—Horizontal Watches, $10, equal in appearance and for time to Gold Watches worth $100; Full Jeweled Levers, $15, equal to $150 Gold ones; Full Jeweled Levers, extra fine and superior finish, $20, equal to $200 Gold ones.

We have just commenced making a very fine American Watch, full jeweled, patent lever, chronometer balance, adjusted to heat, cold and position, 4½ ounces down weight; equal in appearance and for time to a Gold Watch costing $250.

We charge only $25 for these magnificent watches. All our watches in hunting cases, gents' and ladies' sizes, chains, Collins Metal, $2 to $6. Also, all kinds of jewelry, equal to gold, at one-tenth the price.

CALIFORNIA DIAMONDS SET IN GOLD.

We are now making Jewelry of the California Diamonds. These are real stones of great brilliancy and hardness, and cannot be distinguished from the genuine stones, even by good judges. They are particularly brilliant at night by artificial light, do not scratch or become dull by use, and retain their brilliancy for an indefinite time. The following are the prices:

Ladies' and Gents' Finger Rings, single stone, one carat weight ... $5 each.

Gents' Pins, single stone, according to the size of the stone ... $4 to $8

Ladies' Cluster Pins ... $7 50

Ladies' Cluster Earrings ... $7 50

TO CLUBS.—Where six watches are ordered at one time, we send a seventh Watch free. Goods sent by express to be paid for on delivery.

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BY HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER.—VALUABLE AND COSTLY SALE OF DIAMOND AND OTHER JEWELRY FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER will sell by auction, on THURSDAY, Oct. 28, at 11 o'clock, at their salesrooms, Nos. 85 Chambers-st. and No. 67 Reade-st., for account of whom it may concern, a large and valuable assortment of high cost diamond and other jewelry, consisting of diamond rings, single stone and cluster, ladies' and gentlemen's diamond breastpins and earrings, diamond crosses, gentlemen's diamond and pearl studs, diamond and emerald rings, pearl and coral sets and other high-class jewelry. Which will be on exhibition one day before the sale, and all guaranteed as represented.

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WILL BE SOLD ON WEDNESDAY, Nov. 3, at 1 P. M., at Brooklyn Navy Yard, by order of Rear-Admiral S. W. Godon, Commandant, about 1,400 tons scrap iron.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

CORPORATION NOTICE.—PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

First—For building sewer in Tenth-avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-first streets, with branches in Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets.

Second—For laying Belgian pavement in Thomas-street, from Church to Hudson-street.

Third—For laying Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth-street, from Fifth to Sixth-avenue.

Fourth—For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Sixty-sixth-street, from Third to Fifth-avenue.

Fifth—For flagging Morton-street, from Washington to West-street.

Sixth—For setting curb and gutter stones in Fifty-sixth-street, from Third to Fifth-avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on—

First—Both sides of Tenth-avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-first streets, and both sides of Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

Second—Both sides of Thomas-street, between Church and Hudson streets, and the intersecting streets, to the extent of half the block.

Third—Both sides One Hundred and Twenty-fourth-street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and the intersecting streets, to the extent of half the block.

Fourth—Both sides of Sixty-sixth-street, between Third and Fifth avenues, and the intersecting streets to the extent of half the block.

Fifth—The southerly side of Morton-street, between Washington and West streets.

Sixth—Both sides of Fifty-sixth-street, between Third and Sixth avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to Emanuel B. Hart, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham-street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

EMANUEL B. HART,
RICHARD TWEED,
THOMAS B. ASTEN,
RICHARD M. HENRY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW-YORK, Oct. 15, 1869.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York relative to the widening and straightening of Broadway, between Thirty-fourth-street and Fifty-ninth-street, and also the making of that part of Broadway, between Thirty-second and Thirty-fifth streets, and that part between Forty-second and Forty-seventh streets, of a greater width than one hundred feet, in the City of New-York.—Pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, hereby give notice that, in compliance with the act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, entitled "An act to alter the map or plan of the City of New-York, and to carry the alterations into effect," passed May 11, 1869, three-fifths being present, they intend to apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held before the Honorable Albert Cardozo, Justice, in Room No. [illegible], second story, in the new Court House, in the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of November, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter; that the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the widening of Broadway to the width of one hundred feet, and the straightening of the same, between Thirty-fourth-street and Fifty-ninth-street, and also the making of that part of Broadway between Thirty-second-street and Thirty-fifth-street, and between Forty-second-street and Forty-seventh-street, of a greater width than one hundred feet, in the City of New-York, in the manner provided by said act of said Legislature.

RICHARD O'GORMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.

Dated NEW-YORK, Oct. 15, 1869.

EXCISE NOTICE.—THE UNDERSIGNED will apply to the Metropolitan Board of Excise on the 29th day of November, 1869, for a license to sell ale-beer only, at No. 656 Water-st., New-York.

SANDY DRISCOLL.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE—THAT ON the 8th day of October, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of GEORGE D. LEONARD, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York; JOHN W. LEONARD, of Paterson, in the County of Passaic and State of New-Jersey, and JAMES B. EDWARDS, of Jersey City, in the County of Hudson and State of New-Jersey, trading as copartners and individually, who have been adjudged bankrupts on the petition of George D. Leonard; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupts, or either of them, to them or either of them, or for their use or the use of either of them, and the transfer of any property by them or either of them, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupts, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their estate, and of the estate of either of them, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 161 Broadway, in the City of New-York, before Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, Register, on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1869, at 11 o'clock A. M.

FRANCIS C. BARLOW, U. S. Marshal, as Messenger Southern District of New-York.

NO. 2,369.—IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JOSEPH HARRIS, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Joseph Harris, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts, and other claims provable under said act, and that the 19th day of November, 1869, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of Isaiah T. Williams, Register in Bankruptcy, No. 87 Broadway, in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 27th day of October, 1869.

GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JULIUS FRANKENSTEIN, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.—At the City of New-York, the 13th day of March, 1869.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of Julius Frankenstein, of the City of New-York, in said district, who was on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1869, adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the said Southern District of New-York.

JOHN TODD, Assignee, No. 203 Broadway, New-York.

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NO. 1,685.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of GEORGE W. NILES, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Before Isaiah T. Williams, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of George W. Niles, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District.—Dated at New-York, the 20th day of October, 1869.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Assignee, No. 187 Broadway.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of DANIEL ROSENBOURGH, bankrupt.—In bankruptcy.—Before James F. Dwight, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Daniel Rosenbourgh, of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York, the 30th day of December, A. D. 1868.

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English and French Boarding and Day School for young ladies and children, No. 277 Madison-av., southeast corner of 40th-st., will reopen TUESDAY, Sept. 21. Letters addressed as above will receive immediate attention. Mrs. MACAULAY will be in town from the 5th of September.

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MISS ARMSTRONG'S French and English Boarding and Day School FOR YOUNG LADIES, No. 25 East 21st-st. Was reopened on Tuesday, Sept. 21. Address, personally or by letter, as above.

MRS. AND MISS STEERS' Boarding and Day School, No. 54 West 11th-st., reopened Sept. 20. The class for boys under 12, connected with this school, reopened same date, at No. 58 West 11th-st. Circulars can be had at Lockwood's, Scribner's and at No. 56 West 11th-st.

MRS. SYLVANUS REED'S French and English Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies, No. 101 East 29th-st., corner of Park-av., Murray Hill, will commence its sixth year the 22d September. Circulars sent on request.

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MISS WARREN'S SCHOOL FOR BOYS in Trenor's Lyric Hall, 6th-av., between 41st and 42d sts., will reopen Sept. 13. English and French taught. Parents wishing a good school for boys make it will do well to call.

JOHN MAC MULLEN'S SCHOOL FOR Boys will be reopened on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 15, at No. 900 Broadway, corner of 20th-st. Circulars at the book stores of Mitchell & Scribner, No. [illegible] Broadway, and at the School. Three boarders will be received.

"KINDERGARTEN SCHOOLS" NOW open. Boarding and Day School for girls, [illegible]; Boys' School connected with Prof. Parrott's, No. 1,400 Broadway, corner 39th-st. For information either apply to Miss E. M. COE, Prin., [illegible].

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MRS. J. T. ROBERTS AND MISS WALKER will reopen their Day School for young ladies, No. 148 Madison-av., one door below 32d-st., on MONDAY, Sept. 20.

GERMAN-AMERICAN INSTITUTE, with Gymnasium and Kindergarten. Reopened TUESDAY, Sept. 14. GERCKE & KOBERG, 22d-st., near 3d-av.

MRS. PRINCE AND MISS LYON'S French and English Boarding and Day School for young ladies and children, 304 West 22d-st., will open Sept. 14, 1869. Apply for circulars to above address.

IRVING INSTITUTE, TARRYTOWN, N. Y.—A Boarding School for Boys. The school year will commence Sept. 14. For circulars apply to D. S. ROWE, M. A., Principal.

J. H. MORSE'S ENGLISH, CLASSICAL and Mathematical School for boys, No. [illegible] 6th-av., near 37th-st., reopens MONDAY, Oct. 4. For circulars apply to J. H. MORSE, A. M., 123 East 22d-st.

GOLDEN HILL SEMINARY FOR YOUNG LADIES, Bridgeport, Conn.—For circulars, address the Principal, Miss EMILY NELSON.

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MISS F. E. PRIEST'S SCHOOL, NO. 30 East 16th-st., near Stuyvesant-square, will reopen MONDAY, Sept. 20.

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NEW-YORK, THURSDAY, OCT. 28, 1869.

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THEATRE FRANCAIS. 14th-st., near 6th-av. MARTHA. Leading characters by Mme. Rotter, Messrs. Himmer, Weinlich, Steinecke and others.

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE. 8th-av., corner 23d-st. CHARLES O'MALLEY. Leading characters by Mr. Edward Falconer, Miss Lisa Weber.

NIBLO'S GARDEN. Broadway, between Prince and Houston sts. EAST LYNNE. Leading character by Miss Lucille Western.

OLYMPIC THEATRE. Broadway, near Bleecker-st. STREETS OF NEW-YORK. Leading characters by Messrs. Mortimer, Studley and Miss Ellen Newton.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE. 24th-st., near 5th-av. SHE WOULD AND SHE WOULD NOT. Leading characters by Mrs. Scott-Siddons and Mr. George Clarke.

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To Advertisers.

Advertisers in the TIMES are requested to bring in their notices at as early an hour in the day as possible. If received after 9½ o'clock, it will be impossible to classify them under their proper heads.

☞ For the accommodation of up-town residents, advertisements for insertion in the TIMES will be received at No. 25 West 23d-st., junction of Broadway and 5th-av., at same rates as are charged at office of publication.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

According to the Paris *Patrie*, the Dalmatian revolt has ramifications in the Turkish Provinces of Albania and Herzegovina, where arrests have been made and arms and ammunition seized. The Austrian and Turkish authorities will act together in suppressing the insurrection.

The Honduras Ambassador to the Court of St. James, JEAN DE FRANCISCO MARTIN, died on the 26th inst. in London.

A Paris dispatch says that the city is tranquil. The Emperor attended the Theatre Français on Tuesday night.

The French Emperor has returned to Compiègne.

Extensive preparations are in progress in Constantinople for the reception of the Emperor of Austria.

GENERAL.

At the trial of the officers of the privateer *Cuba* yesterday, in Wilmington, N. C., several witnesses were examined for the defence. DAVIS, one of the marines of the vessel, testified that an attempt had been made to bribe him to give evidence against the ship. The impression is gaining strength that the officers will finally be discharged.

A Goldsboro' (N. C.) dispatch reports that a serious riot occurred there on the night of the 2d inst., between United States soldiers and negroes, in which a negro and a soldier were wounded, and that up to twenty-four hours after the affair, no arrests had been made. The rioters had three distinct conflicts, and in the third the negroes retreated.

The American Hotel, at Charlotte, N. Y., CHARLES CRAIN, proprietor, was burned during a fire which began yesterday morning in J. B. [illegible]'s shoe store. The building was occupied by different persons for business purposes. The total loss is [illegible], and the insurance $19,000.

An order has been issued, by direction of the President, that all communications on Executive business shall be addressed to the Head of the Department to which the business appertains, and the Secretary of State has published a circular setting forth that there are no vacancies now in the public offices, and giving instructions as to the manner of application when any shall occur.

During the snow storm of Tuesday and yesterday, several disasters occurred to lake craft. The schooners *Australia*, *Acorn* and *Iona* went ashore in Lake Ontario. The storm extended to Albany and eastward to Martha's Vineyard. Snow fell also in Poughkeepsie.

The editor of the *Voz de Cuba*, Havana, has challenged the editor of the *Prensa*, for some reason or other, but the latter has declined, seeming to prefer contests on paper.

The absence of the Peruvian and Mexican Ministers from a recent dinner given by the Secretary of State is explained by the fact that the dinner was not designed for the entire Diplomatic Corps, foreign representatives being usually entertained by installments, with an intelligent regard to the relations existing between them respectively, all being, of course, on equally friendly relations with our Government.

The distillery of J. B. GOODS and the rectifying house of S. B. HARTMAN & Co., Lancaster, Penn., are reported to have been seized for frauds on the revenue. Several other seizures are also reported by the revenue authorities.

The leading officers of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad were at St. Louis yesterday on business connected with the consolidation of the road with the Lake Shore line.

With a view to exhibiting the exposed condition of the people of the Territory, the United States Marshal at Helena, Montana, has sent to the Secretary of the Interior a report of the business before the Grand Jury of the Third Judicial District, in which robberies and murders by Indians are detailed. Nine or ten citizens have been murdered and 300 head of stock stolen. The removal of the women and children of the Blackfeet nation to the British Possessions, where the men have been supplied with improved arms and ammunition, is regarded as a declaration of war.

Ex-Governor CLIFFORD has been elected President of the Board of Overseers of Harvard College.

GEORGE W. COOLEY, for many years District-Attorney of Suffolk County, Mass., died on Tuesday in the Insane Asylum, South Boston.

The Coast Survey has received information from San Francisco of the indications of an earthquake in some part of the Pacific Ocean, already noticed in our telegraphic news columns. It is claimed that the earthquakes at Simoda in 1854, and Peru last year, were announced in the same manner—by an earthquake wave.

C. W. FITZGERALD, a Richmond merchant, committed suicide yesterday in Amelia County.

The President is reported to have said in conversation yesterday, regarding the Mississippi election, that he had inclosed to Judge DENT the newspaper story ascribed to Judge DENT, that he, the President, supports DENT for Governor, and asking him if he was correctly reported, but that he had not yet received Judge DENT'S reply; that he had advised the Judge not to commit himself with the movement against ALCORN; as it was supported by enemies of the Administration and of the Government, and that although he sustained good personal relations to him he considered it his public duty to oppose his election.

The State Capitol narrowly escaped destruction by fire yesterday afternoon. A fire was discovered in the ante-room to the Senate Chamber, which was suppressed before serious damage was done.

LEONARD CHOATE, the Newburyport "firebug," is on trial at Lawrence, Mass., in the Superior Court. Fifty witnesses have already been examined, and the case promises to continue through the week.

LOCAL.

The Brooklyn Republicans held an immense mass meeting at Continental Hall last evening. Addresses were made by Hon. HORACE GREELEY, General STEWART L. WOODFORD, Hon. JOHN OAKEY, Hon. WM. H. BURLEIGH and others.

The Democracy of this City ratified the State ticket by a grand mass meeting at Tammany Hall and vicinity last evening. A procession, fireworks, &c., helped along the enthusiasm. Speeches were made by Mayor HALL, FERNANDO WOOD, Hon. S. S. COX, RICHARD O'GORMAN, General S. F. CAREY, Colonel E. L. GAUL and others.

The buildings Nos. 114 and 116 Fulton-street were totally consumed by fire yesterday morning with all their contents. The fire communicated to the building No. 15 Dutch-street, where severe damage damage was done, and to the spire of the Old Dutch Church, corner of Fulton and William streets. The spire was destroyed. The total loss from the fire is $200,000.

The Woman's Suffrage Association met yesterday, and Mrs. NORTON delivered an address on the usual topic.

FRITZ KNOBEL, who stabbed JACOB STROESEL some months ago in the back with a chisel, inflicting a fatal injury, pleaded guilty yesterday in the Essex County, N. J., Court of Quarter Sessions, and was remanded for sentence.

A mass meeting of the German Republicans of this City was held last evening at Cooper Institute. Speeches were made by FREDERICK KAPP, General SIGEL and others, and resolutions adopted indorsing the Republican State ticket, and particularly the nomination of General FRANZ SIGEL for Secretary of State.

Seventy thousand tons of Scranton coal were sold at auction by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railway Company, yesterday, at prices in advance of those obtained at the September sale. Stove coal advanced $1 a ton.

The examination of FRANK WEBB, charged with having been implicated in the Weighmasters' frauds with General BEAN, was commenced before United States Commissioner SHIELDS yesterday.

The American Social Science Association continued their sessions yesterday at the lecture room of the Historical Society, when papers were read on "Immigration," by FREDERIC KAPP; on "Vaccination," by Professor FRANCIS BACON; on "Election of Presidents of the United States," by CHAS. FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.; on the "American Census," by General JAMES A. GARFIELD, and on the "Civil Service," by GEO. WM. CURTIS. The Association will close their sessions to-day.

The Grand Jury still hold the alleged gold conspiracy under consideration. Among those examined yesterday were HENRY CLEWS, Mr. BANKER, Mr. KEMBLE and Colonel HOWE.

The Effect of One Democratic Principle—Payment of the Bonds in Paper.

Amid the general wreck of what were once "Democratic principles," the main plank remaining to which survivors cling, seems to be the repudiation of the public debt. This platform of the party is usually labeled somewhat speciously. It is called "payment of the bonds in money of the United States;" the "compelling the plowholder and bondholder to take the same currency;" "greenbacks for the rich as well as the poor," and otherwise this project of dishonesty is disguised by specious phrases and respectable names.

All the old war cries of the "unterrified Democracy" have passed away. "State Rights," "Hard Money," Free Trade and Anti-Federalism, sympathy with struggling nationalities, and the like, are all forgotten. The Republican Party are now the Hard-Money Party, and quite as much in favor of a low tariff as their opponents, and more in favor of liberty, both at home and abroad. The only Democratic principles seem to be now, cheating the bondholders and expanding the currency.

In the recent elections in Ohio and Pennsylvania, the great appeals of the Democrats to the people were on the single issue of payment of the bonds in greenbacks. We have no fear that the working people of this State will ever be deluded by these specious appeals to their ignorance and prejudices. Still, as this is now their great weapon, it becomes every workingman who thinks for himself to examine the argument.

There can be no greater delusion to the laboring class than the supposition that they get any advantage from an inconvertible currency. It is an old war cry of the Democratic Party, and a still older axiom of political economy, that "an irredeemable paper currency is the robbery of labor." One of the devices of kings and princes in the middle ages for filling their treasuries and plundering the working class, was to adulterate or clip their coin. A piece of money then, which was nominally a louis d'or or a florin, contained really half or a third less of the precious metals, and the potentate was supposed to gain the difference, while the people paid the loss. The irredeemable paper dollar is a precisely similar robbery of the consumers.

If the United States bonds, by an act of incredible national baseness, should ever be paid in paper, it need not be said that the value of the greenback dollar would sink to an immense degree. A dollar, instead of being worth, as it is now, say seventy-five cents, would be worth, perhaps, thirty-three cents. The capitalists who saw the storm impending, and who are better able to perceive beforehand than the laboring classes, would, of course, sell out their bonds as early as possible, and put their money in objects of permanent value, such as houses and lands. The poor would attempt to redeem last, and would find their hard-earned savings reduced to half their former value. All savings banks, trust companies, fire insurance and life insurance associations would discover that their investments in Government securities were suddenly stripped of more than half their worth, and the laborers and mechanics who have their savings in these companies would be proportionately impoverished. But this would not be the greatest disaster to the poor, from the payment of the bonds in paper. The present reduced value of the dollar tells more severely on the laborers and consumers than it does on the dealers and the comfortable classes. Commissioner WELLS has proved, from careful statistics, that the family expenses of laborers, mechanics and all people of small means, have arisen in the last few years 87½ per cent. Wages and salaries have not increased at all equally in proportion. The explanation is simple: where the standard of value is uncertain, or, in other words, where gold has ceased to be the basis of the currency, every petty dealer, shopkeeper, merchant and importer must charge to his customers a double or treble profit to compensate him for his extra risks. After each dealer in any commodity purchases his article, the currency may change its value, and he may lose all his usual profit. To meet the chance of this, he must add somewhat to the price in dealing with the one next to him in the line of sale. When the article finally reaches the mechanic or the laborer, it is charged with all these extra prices.

The uncertainty, too, of the currency gives the dealer a pretext which he is only too ready to avail himself of, to overcharge. If the value of our dollar is steadily falling, as would inevitably be the case under an expected payment of the bonds in paper, this uncertainty would be immensely increased, and the laboring class suffer proportionably. Moreover, the wages of a working class never can rise as fast as prices rise. There is too close competition between laborers for that. In the first "rise of gold" during the war, it will be remembered, it was a long time before wages rose any way proportionably with the increase of prices, and salaries never reached a fair equality. Capital, too, under a grand effort at national repudiation, would become exceedingly timid, and would not employ labor to the same extent, so that from every source vast disasters would come upon the laboring classes, as the currency increased and gold rose, with the payment of the bonds in paper. Prices would be at starvation point, wages still low, capital sluggish and employment dull. The savings on which the laborers had expected to live would possess but a fraction of their value. Panic would increase and gold rise, until the paper dollar had become like the Confederate, and a crash ensue which would overwhelm laborer and employer together, but where "the weakest would go to the wall."

These are the probable and reasonable results of the great Democratic programme—the payment of the national notes in other "promises to pay."

The American Social Science Association.

In the meetings of the Social Science Association now holding in this City may be discerned the beginning of an institution which is destined to acquire no small influence in the community. Meetings of this kind have been common of late years in other countries, but with us the idea is still only partially developed. It was of the utmost importance that the first start should be good, and the promoters deserve great credit for the efforts they have made to fulfill this preliminary condition of success. There must have been more danger than the general public can estimate of the Association falling into the hands of mere pretenders, and nothing would have been easier than to have ruined the whole design while it was yet in its infancy. This peril has been avoided. The papers already read this year have been admirable in kind and quality, and the authors are men who are entitled to speak with authority on the special subjects they have treated. It is difficult to exaggerate the amount of information, obtainable from no other source, which may be brought together at these annual meetings. A very brief glance over some of the papers just read will indicate the range which this knowledge may be expected to take.

An essay on "Procedure in Contested Elections," written by Hon. H. L. DAWES, of Massachusetts, explains in an intelligible and concise form the method adopted by Congress of settling election appeals. Mr. DAWES shows that the House is by no means an impartial tribunal, and that the minority never contests an election, because there would be no chance of its success. The Committee on Elections, which decides such cases, is of purely a partisan character, and there can be no redress for the injustice thus done until public sentiment emphatically condemns it. Professor DWIGHT read a very interesting paper on the public charities of New-York, especially useful for the suggestions contained it with reference to the treatment of lunatics and paupers. Mr. A. R. SPOFFORD, the librarian of Congress, contributed a valuable paper on the "Public Libraries of the United States." We learn from this that there are ten large libraries containing altogether over a million volumes. Mr. SPOFFORD earnestly recommends the opening of the Astor Library in the evening, and the public will concur in the suggestion, as well as in some others which he laid before the Association.

Yesterday was the second day of the meeting, and some additional papers were read which cannot but attract wide and general attention. One of them was on "Immigration," by Mr. FRED. KAPP; another on the "Mode of Electing Presidents of the United States," by Mr. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.; a third on the "Reform of the Civil Service," by Mr. G. W. CURTIS; a fourth on "The Census," by General GARFIELD, of Ohio, and a fifth on "Vaccination," by Professor BACON. It is not too much to say that all these essays were of rare and exceptional value. We shall return to some of them on another occasion; at present we merely desire to indicate the character of the work which goes on at the meetings of the Association. The papers read by Mr. ADAMS, Mr. CURTIS and General GARFIELD deal with subjects of national importance, and will no doubt be more discussed than some others, which, though equally valuable, offer less scope for controversy.

We trust that the Association will contrive to have most of the essays printed in a form which will render them readily accessible to the public. Dr. ELIOT, the President, stated in his opening address that the Society has grown stronger in point of numbers, and that it has done substantial service in many ways thus soon in its history. It is certainly managed economically, for there is but one salaried officer connected with the Association. The funds are spent solely for the public benefit. A handbook for immigrants is now in preparation, intended to aid such persons "in finding suitable occupations and settlements." A fair and impartial book of the kind was much needed. We sincerely congratulate the Association on its progress, and may very safely predict for it a great future if it never falls below its present high standard.

Crowding to the Cities.

The new Governor of Virginia, in a late agricultural address, very earnestly urged the young men before him not to imitate those who had forsaken their "paternal acres" and gone to the large cities. This same point was enforced by our own Governor, HOFFMAN, and by Ex-Governor SEYMOUR, in their recent addresses on similar occasions. These dignitaries, Northern and Southern, all agree on the superior claims and advantages of agricultural life. The young men of every part of the country need such testimony, and we are glad to see it adduced.

The fact is undeniable that for some years farming pursuits throughout the country have been rather losing than gaining favor. The official returns show that agricultural production has not been keeping pace with the advancing population of the country, and alike demonstrate an increasing tendency to concentrate in large towns and cities. Farmers' sons have been moved by a spirit of adventure to turn their backs upon the steady occupation of their fathers, and betake themselves to speculation, or trade, or mechanical employments in town. The immense immigration into the country has by no means contributed its just proportion to the demands of agriculture. The last national census showed that nearly forty per cent. of the Irish of the country were living in the large cities, and thirty-six and a half per cent. of the Germans. If to these had been added those who were located in villages, and those who were scattered through the country employed in constructing railroads and other works of internal improvement, it would be seen at once that there were far more agricultural consumers among this great class of our population than agricultural producers. It is to be feared that the new census will show this disparity in a yet more marked degree. One thing is certain: that, taking the country at large, there will be shown an immense falling off of producers, to the extent of four millions at least, from the single event of emancipation.

Now, there can be no more fixed axiom in political economy than that agriculture must form the basis of the prosperity and power of the American people. It is the great foundation of our national wealth and consequence—the primary source of all our prosperity. It feeds us. To a great degree it clothes us. Without it we could not have manufactures, and should not have commerce. It furnishes our factories with their raw material, and it fills our ships with their cargoes. Social industry depends upon it; individual life depends upon it. There is no man in the country who is so wealthy as to be independent of the success of this great interest, nor any so poor as not to be affected by its prosperity or its decline. This country has peculiar facilities for advantageously prosecuting this great department of human labor. The variety of its climate, the abundance and cheapness of its fertile soil, are such as no other nation on the surface of the globe can boast. It is no credit to our vaunted enterprise that we have never yet made adequate use of these signal advantages—that the time has never yet been when the proportion of our farmers to the whole population was as large as it should have been—when the number of those engaged in professions and trades were not, at the very least, twice as great as the actual necessities of society required. There is reason to apprehend that this disproportion will increase. This restless, adventurous spirit is ever tending to take more complete possession of our people. Everybody is getting more infected with the eagerness to get rich in haste. There is a growing impatience of the good old plan of earning a competence by steady, persevering labor and frugal living. The young men of the day have tired of the isolation and monotony of agricultural life, and pant for something more stirring and exciting, and something that seems to promise quicker and more splendid returns. They have seized upon the first opportunity to launch away into the tide of trade and speculation. And that tide once embarked upon, it is very seldom that they find their way back again to the plowed fields. A large proportion of them have not succeeded in their new pursuits; tens of thousands of them have miserably failed, and become bankrupts and drones; and yet they have from the pure force of acquired habit clung to town life with all the greater tenacity.

It cannot be too well understood by these young malcontents in the country that failure there almost infallibly foretokens failure here. The same qualities, and habits which stand in their way in the country will cause them to stumble in the city. It is everywhere the same all over the world: to fill any situation successfully, one must fill it as belonging to it. The man who feels above his business, let that business be what it may, is actually below any business. He is without anything to hold him up anywhere, and is bound to sink anyhow. The great work of life, whether in city or country, cannot be maintained by any such weaklings. Least of all is this tearing, grinding, crushing mart the place for them. We already have an over-production of incapables and drones. There is no room here for the drift of rural weakness and cowardice. Let the farmers' sons heed the counsels of their Governors and stay at home—holding fast to the oldest, happiest, most independent and most honorable of human occupations.

The Profits and Safety of Life Insurance.

The business of life insurance, relying as it does not only upon an expressed popular necessity, but intelligent criticism and appreciation by the public, is singularly open to misrepresentation. The opponents of the system charge that the premiums are too high, that the accumulations which are necessary to meet the policy-amount insured are insufficient, and that the profits are appropriated by the stockholders, in the case of a proprietary company, or by salaries and expenses in the case of a mutual company. Nothing can be easier than to make these assertions, and it must be admitted that there are too many instances in which they have just foundation.

Whether the premiums charged for life insurance are too high depends upon what becomes of the overcharge. As a rule it may be considered as a temporary security against contingencies of risk, which may, however, never arise. Strictly speaking, such an overcharge is improper, as being, if the tables by which a company is guided are reliable, improper. But still the overcharge does exist in even the very best companies, and is not open to strong objection, considering its final disposition. The overcharge, in short, becomes an item by which the profits of the business are swelled, which profits are in some shape given to the insured. Either the amount insured becomes greatly increased, so that the value of the policy in some cases doubles or even trebles in the course of time, or the annual payment of premiums is very greatly reduced, which has been done to the extent of one-half in many instances.

The accumulation necessary to pay the amounts insured when they shall fall due, is not a matter of guesswork or uncertainty. It is absolutely fixed and defined according to the rules of the science of life insurance. If any office fail to fix its rates of premiums so that this accumulation may be created, then it is to blame, and is unworthy of confidence. We believe that there are few if any such cases. Insufficiency of premiums is not the usual source of instability in insurance companies. That some do fail to set aside the necessary fund, however, is unfortunately true. But there is a department of the State Government which has this matter especially under its control. In New-York, as in Massachusetts, the Superintendent of Insurance is required to see that the accumulation is provided. In Massachusetts this point receives especial attention, and in New-York it is not lost sight of, though more prominence might, with advantage, be accorded to it. From a table before us we find that the better class of companies are themselves careful on the subject. For instance, out of a list of ten companies, one only has so small a surplus over each $100 of liabilities of $3 09, while the others have a surplus running up even to, in one case, $26 77.

The truth is that life insurance is, so far as its principles are concerned, a perfectly sound and scientifically reliable business. Departure from its obvious rules will, of course, involve difficulty, as it would in any other kind of undertaking. The cost of the insurance must bear its proper relation to the liability incurred; the expenses must be kept within the margin of charge set upon each policy therefor; the risks accepted must be calculated according to the real facts in each proposal; the investments of the accumulated funds must be conducted with prudence and fidelity. All these requirements are fulfilled by many companies, only partially by some, and by yet others they are almost entirely neglected. The public must seek security by using its own judgment in the premises after ascertaining the real figures of the particular company's balance sheet. There need be no difficulty on this head; no sound and honestly conducted office will withhold the fullest information from any inquirer with a *bona fide* purpose. Secrecy implies a consciousness of error in some shape. Let a proposed insurer do his duty; let him investigate the affairs of the company, which he proposes to intrust with so serious a matter as insurance on his life, with as much care as he would to verify a title upon which to advance money. If this were done in all cases, there would be little chance for unsound companies, and there could be no just detraction of any. And as it is, the wholesale denunciation of life insurance indulged in by some journals is dictated by ignorance or malice, or both.

Mr. FERNANDO WOOD is quite overcome when he thinks of the corruption for which the Republican Party is responsible. He "was shocked, positively shocked," so he told a meeting the other night, with his tongue in his cheek. He is such a child of nature. And yet by this time his sensibilities ought to be somewhat deadened. He has seen a great deal in his time, and it was his privilege to be trained in a school which generally succeeds in taking the early freshness off the human conscience. Perhaps Mr. FERNANDO was indulging in some painful reminiscences, of a somewhat restricted character, when he felt "positively shocked" the other evening?

Business in the West sympathizes with the blighted expectations of the farmers in regard to the prices realized for grain. They have been so long accustomed to high prices for all their products, that the present rates—dear though they seem to the consumer—are a sad disappointment. And depression among the farmers means still greater depression among the storekeepers, and [illegible]. But there is no cause for [illegible] that can result from the present state of things, as the Chicago *Tribune* remarks, [illegible] small profits, or no profits at all, to [illegible] and banks. If solvent, they will not [illegible] seriously suffer.

Last night was a night of political meetings. In Brooklyn the Republicans of Kings County met in Continental Hall, in large numbers, and enthusiastically ratified the State and local nominations. Speeches were made by Hon. HORACE GREELEY and General STEWART L. WOODFORD.

"Father HYACINTHE ate a beefsteak last Friday. The Catholics are much incensed." "Father HYACINTHE ate a broiled beefsteak on Friday because, as he claims, he had a right to do so." These are two scraps of "news" just laid before the public. Father HYACINTHE has now seen in operation for the first time a "free Press." We hope he likes it.

The recurrence yesterday of a runaway bull accident seems to call for some additional precautions on the part of the drovers or the Police, or both. It is especially necessary in view of the fact that not only is the presence of the animal far from agreeable to even courageous persons, but that he is usually made the occasion of a grand hunt by an armed and reckless crowd of pursuers. Police and citizens alike make him the target for their bullets; and as the target keeps moving, while the shooting is of the wildest and widest description, somebody is tolerably sure to be shot. The only good service that comes of these occasions is that they prove how far the law is defied, in the matter of carrying deadly weapons, by unauthorized persons, to the great discredit of our City.

The letter which we have published from Mr. STONE, of the firm of STONE, NICHOLS & STONE, throws some light upon that business of "interviewing" which has lately helped to lower the character of the Press. A reporter went to Mr. STONE and asked him whether he had read the attack upon him in the *Saturday Review*. Had the reporter mentioned his own paper, the "interview" might have been closed at once. Those gentlemen of the Press go to a man's house fully prepared to be "kicked out," and any treatment which falls short of that they are devoutly grateful for. It is almost a pity that cause for gratitude is so often afforded them.

The German Republicans of this City held an immense meeting at Cooper Institute last night, to ratify the Republican nominations. Mr. FREDERICK KAPP presided, and in assuming the chair aptly alluded to the time when, eight years ago, they met to express their acknowledgment of the brave deeds of General SIGEL on the field of battle. General SIGEL made an eloquent speech, and was followed by Mr. CHARLES GOEPP, W. WEBER, Dr. H. HOLST and others.

The assertion of the *Patrie* that a formidable conspiracy has been discovered in the Turkish provinces of Albania and Herzegovina, in connection with the revolt at Cattaro, seems upon the face of it hardly likely to be strictly true. Turkey has, indeed, always been under the necessity of keeping a strict watch upon these provinces, which contain, owing to the very mixed character of their population, and the wide differences of religion, all the elements of disaffection; but that an Austrian province should unite in any demonstration seems highly improbable. The coöperation of the latter Power with Turkey in any forcible military action against the insurgents, if such there are, would prove dangerous to Turkey in view of the possibility of subsequent complications. If the *Patrie* is right, the intelligence it prints is of great importance; but there is too much on the other side to allow of implicit belief.

The more we examine the tone of the London papers on the gold panic the less creditable does it appear to the character or honesty of the English journalists. The story of the crisis lost nothing by its journey across the Atlantic. The English papers are not above putting imaginative touches to their news. The *Saturday Review*, that old offender, says that bankers who are in correspondence with English firms "threw million after million upon the market." Nothing of the kind took place. The writer goes on to state that Mr. JOHN MORRISSEY won over $600,000, and that "among the fragments of the fight should perhaps be mentioned a madman and a corpse." Of course, if this silly fustian had appeared in an American paper, we should have been treated to a fine homily on "low journalism." In former days the *Saturday* was at least ably written. The *Spectator* dwells on our liability to "mental hectic"—no doubt a troublesome complaint, if we only knew what it was—and tells its readers that on the day of the panic "brokers went mad, fainted, fell ill, and died." It evidently has pictured Wall-street to itself as having a lunatic asylum on one side and a cemetery on the other. The London *Times* tried to make the panic an opportunity for depreciating our bonds—a favorite trick in that quarter. It never *did* think well of any American securities but the Confederate Loan, and those famous "terminable annuities" in which it found out, a year or two ago, that our whole debt was locked up.

The New-York Association for the Encouragement of Science and Art has written to the Board of Education an important letter on the subject of physical instruction. For many years men of thought and progress have been lecturing on this theme, and the schools have been very slow to profit by their suggestions. But the change must come. The "book routine," as at present gone through in most schools, teaches little, and is of little use to the after-life of the young people. The boys—and girls too—should learn habits of address and practice; and the classes should devote their "high Saturdays" to some exercise, either in the school spaces or in the parks. At the same time they should be taught those simple rules and laws of life which would give them activity of body and mind, and show them early the results of evil habits and unwise indulgences. Such instructions would do a world of good, and last the boys and girls all their lives.

Nearly forty years ago sixty acres of land of a medium quality, situated in a backward English county, were purchased by a coöperative association. The shareholders were fifteen in number, and each put £3 ($15) into the concern. The landlord advanced £400 to start the affair. The whole of the £400 has been repaid, something has been divided among the shareholders every year, there are now twenty-one in the company instead of fifteen, and the shares are £50 each. The stock on the farm is of considerable value. In 1864 the same landlord started another coöperative farm. It began with seventy acres, and now the shareholders, thirty-six in number, have 212. The company is out of debt, and the stock on the farm is worth £1,280. The shares, originally worth £3 [illegible], now fetch [illegible]. [illegible] scale, are not without interest for purposes of comparison here.

Tammany gathered together its followers last night to ratify the Democratic nominations. There was the usual torchlight procession, with the bands, the guns and the big bell, and in point of numbers and enthusiasm the meeting was not inferior to most of the gatherings of the faithful in years past. Mayor HALL presided, and after he had spoken, the crowd listened, or was supposed to listen, to FERNANDO WOOD, S. S. COX, RICHARD O'GORMAN, and others more or less known to fame, whose eloquence doubtless compensated for the absence of ANDREW JOHNSON, who was expected to come with his well-worn edition of the Federal Constitution, but failed to do so.

According to a letter in a Paris journal NAPOLEON III. is as steady a fatalist as he ever was, and believes in his star with the firmness of [illegible]. The reported conversation with the Austrians, in which the Emperor confessed his former purpose of making France a grand republic in the event of his boy's death, is probably a true one—for NAPOLEON has, after all, certain democratic leanings in his nature, and knows what true glory is. Now, however, he "intrusts futurity" to little NAPOLEON VICTOR, relying on the Pretorian efficacy of the army, and still more on the national resources—very powerful securities it must be admitted—though "Time and Chance" are two counter agencies just as powerful in their own way.

A distressing story of a "servant's revenge" comes from a quiet part of Berkshire, England. Lieutenant-Colonel HICKIE had a nurse in his family named ELIZABETH BARRY. She was discharged from his service, and threatened to have her revenge. One day during the absence of Colonel HICKIE and his wife, the nurse disappeared, taking with her her employer's youngest child, a girl of 17 months old. The parents were thrown into a dreadful state of grief as night came on and their child was not brought back. From that day no tidings have been heard of nurse or child. The detectives were set to work, but Colonel HICKIE writes to the papers to enlist "the sympathy and help of the millions of self-made detectives who may be found in the fathers and mothers of England. They alone can conceive the awful agony we suffer, as one sad day after another passes away, and our hopes of ever seeing our dear child are still deferred." In case the woman may have escaped to this country, we append the Colonel's description of his child:

"The distinctive mark on her face, the mole on the right side of her upper lip, the peculiar blue vein (a birth mark) under the left eye of our child, and the deep dimple on her chin, all lead us to hope for a speedy recovery of our lost one, if we could only secure the eyes and the hearts that would watch for her everywhere. To these, as our last, our highest hope, under God, a bereaved father and mother now appeal, and wait in deep suspense the result."

AMUSEMENTS.

Musical.

GERMAN OPERA AT THE FRENCH THEATRE.

A very worthy performance of "Faust" was given by the German artists, last evening, at the French Theatre, which seems destined, we should say, to have occupants of every other nationality but that to which it was dedicated. Better representations of the same opera have undoubtedly been enjoyed, but the animation with which this one was marked was so general and genuine as to make fair amends for the artistic difference. Mlle. MARIE FREDERICI, who was *Marguerite*, filled the same part, if we mistake not, when GOUNOD'S work was first produced here. She brings to its interpretation a fresh and powerful voice of rather limited compass, a rare exuberance of spirits, and too apparent proofs of robust womanhood to allow the most indulgent to admit her physical fitness to embody GOUNOD'S maid. Her performance yesterday was earnest and robust. She sang agreeably the ballad of "The King of Thule," though with a too evident self-consciousness, and succeeded partially only in the brilliant jewel cavatina; but, in the impassioned duet with *Faust* in the garden act, in the *finale* of the same portion of the work, and in its closing passages, her vocal power had abundant opportunity for display, and secured instant recognition. Herr HIMMER was *Faust*, and acted and sang with care and force. The superb voice of Herr HERMANNS was once again listened to in the utterances of *Mephistopheles*; and the song of the Golden Calf, executed with the usual vigor, and the sustained note in each couplet of the serenade were productive of their wonted effect. Herr WILHELM FORMES was *Valentine*, and his staging, too, was characterized by the same loud but not too unpleasant traits marking the efforts of his associates. Mlle. SOPHIE DZIUBA represented *Siebel* very gracefully and truthfully. When we add to this record the mention of the fact that Herr CARL ANSCHUTZ was the musical director, we need say very little of the chorus and orchestra. Neither was too numerous, yet the performance of the former body was very satisfactory, and that of the later was absolutely perfect. Mme. ROTTER and most of the artists referred to above, under the same conductor, are to interpret "Martha" this night. Their honest endeavor to give at this period of demoralization representations of no mean order, ought to receive, we think, substantial encouragement.

Theatrical.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To-night Mr. DE CORDOVA is to deliver, at Steinway Hall, the second of his annual series of humorous lectures. "Our New Clergyman" will be the subject.... Mr. HERMANNS will make his last appearance in this country for the benefit of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, at the Academy of Music, on Wednesday evening next.... The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Hospital is to benefit Monday by a variety entertainment of great comprehensiveness, to be given at the Academy of Music. Mr. JAMES MACE will exhibit his statues, Mr. JAMES TAYLOR will act, Mr. TONY PASTOR will sing, and a host of known *artistes* will gather about these *artistes*.

Proceedings of the Social Science Association To-Day.

At the afternoon session of the American Social Science Association to-day, JOSEPH D. POTTS, President of the Empire Transportation Company, will read a paper on "Transportation as a Science," and SHEPPARD HOMANS one on "Life Insurance." In the evening, Judge GEO. C. BARRETT will speak on the "Administration of Criminal Justice in New-York," Dr. ELISHA HARRIS, Sanitary Superintendent of the Board of Health, on "Health Laws and their Administration," and DAVID DUDLEY FIELD on the "International Code."

A Hopeless Task for the Chinese in Sacramento.

From the Sacramento Union, Oct. 19.

The Chinese residents of the city commenced last evening on I-street, above Third, their annual clearing out of devils. The musicians went after the cloven-footed gentry straight from the word go, creating racket sufficient, as far as an inexperienced outsider can judge, to raise the biggest devil in the city. We understand that the exorcistic ceremonies will continue for five days and nights, the whole closing with the burning up of the various bamboo figures that ornament the temple where the services are conducted. It would appear that the Sacramento Chinamen are more successful in their contests with the chief of the lower regions and his myrmidons than their brethren of San Francisco. While inquiring at the temple concerning the mystic rites last evening, we met two San Francisco Celestials who informed us that they had come up to see how the affair was managed here. One of them remarked that in San Francisco there was "Belly much debbil; we hallee him come two, tree months."

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Death of the [illegible] from Honduras—The [illegible] of Exeter.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—JEAN DE FRANCISCO MARIN, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from Honduras, died in this city yesterday.

Rev. Mr. TEMPLE publicly expresses his regret at the anxiety and excitement caused by his promotion to the Bishopric of Exeter. He would be glad to allay the feeling which has been aroused, but declines to make any explanation. He is confident that intercourse with the clergy will cause the feeling against him to subside.

Serious Illness of George Peabody—His Recovery Doubtful.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Mr. GEORGE PEABODY is seriously ill, and his recovery is considered doubtful.

FRANCE.

Return of the Emperor to Compiegne—Paris in a State of Tranquillity.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—The Emperor returned to Compiegne to-day.

The city continues tranquil and apprehensions of disturbance have subsided.

The Emperor attended the Theatre Français last evening.

SPAIN.

The Ministerial Crisis Terminated—Sentence of a Republican Leader—The Porto Rico Deputies.

MADRID, Oct. 27.—The Ministerial crisis is over. All parties have agreed to postpone their differences.

CAÑMO, an insurgent leader, has been sentenced to suffer death by a Council of War at Bilbao.

The Deputies from Porto Rico have withdrawn their request to the Government to defer special legislation by decree for that island, having received satisfactory explanations as to the intentions of the Ministry.

AUSTRIA AND TURKEY.

The Dalmatian Revolt Extending to Turkey—Joint Action to be Taken by the Governments—The Emperor's Visit to the Sultan.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—The *Patrie* in, its issue to-day, asserts that a widespread conspiracy has been discovered in the Turkish Provinces of Albania and Herzegovina, in connection with the revolt at Cattaro, in the Austrian Province of Dalmatia. Several arrests of persons implicated have been made by the authorities, and a large amount of arms and ammunition seized. It is reported that the Governments of Austria and Turkey have come to an understanding, whereby they will act jointly in the suppression of the insurrection.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 27.—Extensive preparations are making here for the reception of the Emperor of Austria.

BELGIUM.

The Elections for Deputies—The Ministerial Party Weakened.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 27.—The elections for Deputies to the House of Representatives are now in progress. The results so far indicate that the strength of the Ministerial party will be considerably reduced.

CUBA.

A Belligerent Editor in Havana—A Challenge from the Editor of the "Voz" to the Editor of the "Prensa."

HAVANA, Oct. 27.—The steamship *Columbia*, from New-York 21st inst., arrived here this morning.

Señor CASTAÑON, editor of the *Voz de Cuba*, yesterday challenged Señor GILPI, editor of the *Prensa*. GILPI has refused to fight.

The Case of the Cuban Privateer at Wilmington—Witnesses for the Defence Examined.

WILMINGTON, Oct. 27.—The trial of the officers of the *Cuba* was resumed before the United States Commissioner this morning. JAS. DENNISON, one of the engineers; DAVIS, one of the marines of the *Cuba*, and Captain MAFFETT and Captain BOLLES, both old naval officers, were examined for the defence. The testimony was very favorable to the defendants, and greatly weakened the evidence of GORDON, the principal witness for the Government. DAVIS testified that he had been offered $20 to give evidence against the ship. The impression is very general now that the officers will be discharged.

FIRES.

Narrow Escape of the State Capitol from Destruction—A Hotel and Stores Burned in Charlotte, N. Y.—A Canadian Distillery Destroyed.

ALBANY, Oct. 27.—A fire was discovered in the ante-room of the Senate Chamber in the Capitol this afternoon, which caused damage to the extent of $600. Had this fire occurred at night, the whole building would probably have been destroyed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 27.—A destructive fire occurred in the village of Charlotte this morning. It commenced in the shoe store of J. B. MORSE, and spreading consumed several stores and the American Hotel, owned and occupied by CHARLES CRAIG. The steamer *Norseman*, lying at her dock, saved the large warehouses of EATON & UPTON on the opposite side of the street. The following are names of the losers: CHARLES C. CRAIG, American Hotel; loss $25,000; insured for $6,000. JOSEPH SEIBLE, building, store and bakery; loss $3,000; insured for $2,000. CHARLES WOLF, saloon; loss $2,500; insured for $1,300. J. B. MORSE, shoe store; loss $600; insured for $1,000. F. TUCKER, building and saloon; loss $4,000; insured. GEORGE C. LATTER, building, grocery store, &c.; loss $2,500; insured. C. CONNERS, saloon, loss light; insured. The heirs of the Hammond estate; loss $1,200; insured. P. KEON, grocery store; loss $1,000; insured for $2,000.

TORONTO, Ontario, Oct. 27.—A distillery owned by GOODERHAM & WORT was partially destroyed by fire last night. The loss is $100,000. Another fire at the same time destroyed twelve houses at the corner of Queen and Brock streets.

Riot in Goldsboro', N. C.—Negroes and Soldiers Fighting.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—A special telegram to the Wilmington, N. C., *Journal*, dated Goldsboro', Oct. 24, says: "Our town was thrown into a state of the wildest excitement last night by a riot which commenced early in the evening, and lasted until 10 o'clock, between the United States troops stationed here and the negroes. About twenty-five guns were fired, and one soldier and one negro wounded. It is now twenty-four hours since the riot, and our authorities have not made, or attempted to make, the first arrest. There were three fights, the negroes retreating in the last."

EARTHQUAKES.

An Earthquake Wave at San Francisco—Indications of an Earthquake in the Pacific—The Recent Earthquake Felt in Dutchess County.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Information has been received at the Coast Survey Office of a very marked earthquake wave having been recorded on the self-registering gauge in San Francisco on Friday last at 5 o'clock P. M. From this the occurrence of a violent earthquake in some distant part of the Pacific Ocean may be inferred, of which news will doubtless reach here before long. The earthquake at Simoda in 1854, and the one which occurred in Peru in August of last year, were announced in the same way. These waves travel across the Pacific Ocean at an average rate of about 300 miles an hour, depending on the depth of water along the track of the wave. From the observations made on the occasions to which reference is made, the average depth of that ocean has been found to be about 2,000 fathoms.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Oct. [illegible].—Farmers from the interior report having distinctly felt the recent shock of earthquake on the evening of [illegible], in Dutchess County.

THE SNOW STORM.

Snow in Albany—Disasters on Lake Ontario by the Storm—Snow at Martha's Vineyard.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The weather here is winterish. The ground was covered with snow this morning.

OSWEGO, Oct. 27.—A snow storm with high wind prevailed here last night. The schooner *Australia*, laden with barley, from Toronto, went ashore one and a half miles below the city. The cargo is damaged. The vessel will probably be gotten off.

The schooner *Acorn*, with lumber from Port Hope, went ashore under Fort Ontario, and will be a total wreck. The schooner *Iowa*, with barley from Port Nelson, is ashore high and dry about five miles above the city.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 27.—A thick snow storm prevailed this morning at Martha's Vineyard, and along Cape Cod.

BUFFALO, Oct. 27.—A terrible snow storm is prevailing here to-night. The street railways are compelled to use snow plows.

The Weather at Midnight Last Night.

Sackville—Heavy wind; snowing; looks like clearing; snow three inches deep.
St. John—Slight fall of snow in early morning; now clear and cold.
Portland—Clear and very cold; no snow.
Boston—Clear and cold; wind northwest.
Worcester, Mass.—Clear; light wind; indications of snow.
New-Bedford, Mass.—Clear and cold.
Hartford, Conn.—Clear; quite cold; wind northwest.
New-York—Clear; wind northwest; thermometer 38°.
Philadelphia—Clear and cool.
Baltimore—Cloudy and cold; thermometer 42°.
Washington—Cloudy and cold; thermometer 38°.
Knoxville, Tenn.—Clear and cold.
Greensboro, N. C.—Clear and cold.
Montgomery, Ala.—Clear and cold.
New-Orleans—Clear and cold; thermometer 55°.
Chicago—Cloudy; thermometer 30°.
Cleveland—Now cloudy and moderate; two inches of snow fell last night, but it melted as soon as the sun rose this morning.
Cincinnati—Cloudy and cold; wind very light.
Louisville—Clear and cold.
Buffalo—A severe snow-storm has been raging since 3 P. M.; about three inches have fallen; wind blowing a gale from the west; thermometer 42°.
Rochester—Cloudy and cold; had slight snow-storm at 3 P. M.
Auburn—Cloudy and cold; very high winds.
Syracuse—Now clear and cold; about two inches of snow fell this morning.
Utica—Cloudy and very cold; little wind; no snow.
Rutland, Vt.—Cloudy; thermometer 42°; about two inches of snow fell this morning.
Burlington, Vt.—Cloudy and cold; thermometer 40°; about two inches of snow fell this morning.
Albany, N.Y.—Beautiful night; clear and cold.
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.—Had a flurry of snow this morning; now clear and cold.
Richmond—Ice formed here last night.
Lynchburg—It was very cold here to-day, and ice formed a quarter of an inch thick.

Meteoric Display.

BUFFALO, Oct. 27.—A brilliant meteor descended at 3 o'clock this morning in the western sky, apparently the size of a full moon, and burst with a crackling noise, throwing off innumerable sparks so bright as to light up the entire city.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

One Hundred Indians, Men, Women and Children, Burned—The Prairie About a Sleeping Encampment Fired.

OMAHA, Oct. 27.—Captain HILL, commander at Fort Rice, forwards the details of a terrible loss of Indian life by fire. On Sept. 21 a band of the Sioux, under Little Bear, were camped on the south side of the Missouri River, above Fort Rice. A large number of squaws, with their papooses, accompanied the Indians. They had camped for the night, and not thinking of danger had all gone to sleep. About midnight the prairies contiguous to their lodgings were set on fire, and before the alarm could be given, or measures taken to save their lives, about one hundred were consumed.

INDIAN OUTRAGES.

Murders and Robberies in Montana—The Indians Supplied with Arms in the British Possessions—Report of the Grand Jury.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—WM. F. WHEELER, United States Marshal at Helena, Montana Territory, has forwarded to Secretary COX a report of the United States Grand Jury of the Third Judicial District of Montana Territory in regard to robberies and murders committed upon citizens there by predatory bands of Indians within the past few months. The report was sent with a view to calling attention to the exposed condition of the people there, and copies were also forwarded to Commissioner PARKER, to the Commander of the Military District, and to General SULLY, Superintendent of Indian Affairs. The report of the Grand Jury sets forth that it is found from the evidence of a great number of witnesses that the people of the Third District have suffered within a few months past a great loss of life and property from roving bands of Indians. They had been furnished with the names of nine or ten citizens who have been murdered in cold blood by them. Over 300 head of stock have been stolen within three months, and they believe that within six months fully one thousand horses have been stolen and the lives of a number of valuable citizens sacrificed. The report further says:

"The Peegans, Bloods and Blackfeet, who all talk the same language and constitute the Blackfoot Nation, have moved their women and children north of Montana into the British Possessions for their safety, and in that country have procured supplies, ammunition and improved arms. This is a declaration of war upon the whites of Montana by these Indians, and some measures should be adopted for meeting the emergency. The civil authorities have not the means, and the people are not able to bear the expense of pursuing and punishing these robbers and murderers who destroy our property and our lives, and come and go like the wind. Ours is a contest between civilization and barbarism, and we must risk our lives and sacrifice our hard-earned property to defend them, unless the General Government gives us the means of defence. To this we are entitled, as we have left homes of comfort in the East to plant civilization in the wilderness. It is in evidence that the Pen d'Oreilles, who make periodical journeys from their homes to the Valley of the Yellow Stone on hunting expeditions through some of the settled portions of our Territory, are guilty of horse stealing, if not murder. Their passage through our settled valleys should be prohibited by the authorities. The River Crows murdered two white men near Fort Benton about the 20th of July last, and took their horses to their camp. In none of these cases of murder and theft have the Indians been pursued and punished. Our population is necessarily scattered along the valleys, and are isolated in mining camps and gulches, and hence are peculiarly exposed to sudden attacks from Indians. The Grand Jury further state that the report is made in the hope that the proper officers of the General Government will take the steps necessary to give them full protection, or if the means in their hands are not adequate, they will represent the matter to the heads of the Government here, who have the authority and means to punish and prevent Indian depredations."

POLITICAL.

The Mississippi Election—General and the Registry—Baltimore Municipal Election.

VICKSBURG, Miss., Oct. 27.—The State Executive Committee of the National Union Republican Party forwarded to-day, to the Secretary of War, affidavits and other official communications, substantiating the statement made some weeks ago in a dispatch to President GRANT by A. C. FISK, Chairman, to the effect that General AMES did not intend to hold a fair election. The Secretary of War is asked to direct General AMES to appoint as registrars an equal number of Radicals and Conservatives from the civilians to be so appointed.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27.—At the municipal election to-day for members of the City Council, the entire Democratic ticket for both branches was elected. The vote was light and the election was unusually quiet.

Strike of the Chicago Tailors—Support Offered by the International Union.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 27.—The tailors' strike still continues. The journeymen have made a public declaration that they will continue the strike until the employers accede to their new scale of prices. Several employers have adopted the new scale, and the journeymen, in case of the shops not having adopted it, will, it was voted by the Union, stop working till they are compelled to do so. A telegram has been received from the President of the International Tailors' Union, giving the Chicago Union permission to strike, and stating that funds will be given them to carry it out.

Railroad Consolidation in Connection in the West.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27.—The President and several of the directors of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad are here on business connected with the consolidation of that road with the Lake Shore Road, and a connection of the consolidated roads with St. Louis by the Decatur and East St. Louis Railroad. The party will leave to-day for Kansas City, *via* the North Missouri Road, and from thence will go to Omaha.

The Boston Banks—The Weekly Statement.

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—The following statement exhibits the condition of the Boston banks for the week ending yesterday:

Capital, $47,000,000; loans, $108,062,620; specie, $1,000,190; legal tenders, $11,319,722; due from other banks, $[illegible]; due to other banks, $[illegible]; deposits, $[illegible]; circulation, $[illegible].

A Railroad Accident in Virginia—Four Persons Injured.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 27.—A freight train on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad ran into the accommodation train on the Richmond and Fredericksburg Railroad this morning at the junction, smashing two cars and slightly injuring the conductor and three other persons.

The Tennessee State Convention.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 27.—It is now known that the State Convention will be called at an early day. The bill is pending in the House and will pass to-morrow. No action has been taken in the Legislature relative to the Fifteenth Amendment. It is not likely to be ratified.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Ex-Governor CLIFFORD has been reelected President of the Board of Overseers of Harvard College. GEORGE W. COOLEY, for several years District-Attorney of Suffolk County, died in the Insane Asylum at South Boston yesterday.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 27.—The Presbyterian Synod of Virginia meets here to-morrow. Rev. H. C. ALEXANDER, late of Princeton, has been elected Professor in the Presbyterian Union Theological Seminary. C. W. FITZGERALD, late a merchant in this city, committed suicide this morning in Amelia County, by blowing his brains out. Two hundred members of the Society of Friends from the north, passed through this city this evening to attend their annual meeting at Greensboro, N. C.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 27.—There was a heavy frost here this morning.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 27.—JOHN CASTNER, carpenter, attempted to commit suicide in his room at his hotel to-day, by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. His wounds will probably prove fatal. Judge STRAND to-day held THOMAS COMPTON in $5,000 bail to answer the charge of committing a robbery in Macon City, Mo.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 27.—The Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Kentucky to-day elected the following officers: S. S. FRY, Grand Master; WILLIAM WHITE, Grand Secretary; GEORGE W. MORRIS, Grand Treasurer, and M. J. DURHAM, Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of the United States.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 27.—Steamer *Lenton*, hence for Fort Smith, Ark., with a full cargo of groceries, struck a snag on Monday near Cut Off, Arkansas River, and sunk. The boat and cargo, valued at $9,000, are a total loss.

CURRENT NOTES.

In a note to the Springfield *Republican*, Mr. GEORGE WALKER, who was sent to Europe to dispose of some of the State bonds of Massachusetts, says that while the markets have not proved as favorable for their sale as he had hoped and expected, he cannot complain of any want of support and coöperation on the part of the State authorities. Commenting upon this note the *Republican* says: "The Massachusetts financial mission to Europe can hardly be called a failure, perhaps, when it has brought home to us so sharply as it has the lesson that we are trifling with our credit, and the unwelcome fact that our bonds no longer command the supremacy in the foreign markets which they so long held among all American securities. Wantonly and carelessly has Massachusetts trifled with its finances; and the London Stock Exchange has sent back its rebuke."

The Newark *Journal*, the ablest Democratic paper in New-Jersey, looks upon General WINFIELD S. HANCOCK as the coming man, thinks the last National Democratic Convention sadly blundered in not nominating him, and nominates him for the Presidency in 1872.

A young girl, daughter of Mr. GUSTAVE MILLER, of Cleveland, Ohio, poured some coal oil upon the kindlings to facilitate the lighting of a fire on Wednesday. Slumbering coals communicated fire to the oil, the can exploded, and the girl was burned so terribly that after lingering in great agony until Friday, she died.

Representatives of the Faculties of most of the New-England colleges are holding a meeting in Hartford, Conn., at the residence of President JACKSON, of Trinity College. Yale, Harvard, Williams, Brown, Amherst, Trinity, Middletown, Tufts, and Dartmouth are represented.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* proclaims that ANDREW JOHNSON is to be a member of the next Congress. The House, it says, "was Ex-President ADAMS' position, and it will be Ex-President JOHNSON'S. He is going there."

A man from California, one JOHN WHORTENBY, claims to be the owner of the entire town of Clayton, in Kent County, Del. Eighty years ago, on the death of its possessor, the land on which this thriving town is built was sold by the Sheriff, and now this WHORTENBY claims that the land was entailed to him, and has caused a writ of ejectment to be served to try and determine his title. The townspeople call WHORTENBY grasping.

A New-Hampshire man has just visited a house in Massachusetts, built by his great-great-grandmother's great-grandfather, and expects to have no greater pleasure in this world.

JOHN MINOR BOTTS' farm, in Culpepper County, Va., has been sold to a Northern man for $56,000 cash. It contains upward of 900 acres.

In an unguarded moment a Boston paper characterized an act of a member of the School Board as done "with true Boston narrowness." The indignation of all Boston may be imagined.

One hundred black bass, from Harper's Ferry, have been placed in the Schuylkill River.

A church society in Milford, N. H., having repaired its church and raised its pastor's salary, set about providing him with a parsonage. Contributions of $5,000 were made, and a house bought, the deed drawn up and the money ready to be paid, when it was found that the former deed was given in Know Nothing times, and forbade the sale of the land to any foreigner, and also prohibited any foreigner ever to reside or build upon it. Such restrictions were not to be agreed to, and the society is now looking for another house.

A sensational dispatch is going the rounds of the Press, to the effect that Colonel LAWRENCE ORTON WILLIAMS, who was executed as a Confederate spy at Franklin, Tenn., in 1863, escaped, and is now a General in the Cuban army. The editor of the St Louis *Dispatch*, who, as an officer on the staff of General WATKINS, was detailed to see that the verdict of the Court Martial was properly executed, says: "We saw him hanged, coffined and buried, and if he was smuggled away by friends it was only as a lifeless body. Life was extinct when he was buried, and we have a suspicion that the man is yet dead."

Order for the Removal of Settlers Countermanded.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF DAKOTA,
ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 21, 1869.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 161.—4. Telegraphic instructions from the Honorable Secretary of War having been received at these headquarters, modifying General Orders No. 62, current series, from headquarters the army, Adjutant-General's office, directing the removal from United States Military Reservations of all squatters or citizens, not in the employment of the Government, in so far as the terms of those orders apply to the Reservation of Fort Ridgely, Minn., paragraph 5, of Special Orders No. 154, current series from these headquarters, are so far modified as to except the buildings of the old fort and the ground in their immediate vicinity, which may be cleared of all settlers, until such time as the question at issue, between the Government and the settlers has been disposed of by the proper authority. By command of Major-General W. S. HANCOCK.

O. D. GREEN,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

TEMPERANCE.

Annual Meeting of the Sons of Temperance—Meeting of the New-Jersey Division.

The Grand Division Sons of Temperance of Eastern New-York convened in annual session at Lyric Hall, No. 727 Sixth-avenue, yesterday, at 10 A. M., G. W. Patriarch MCCRUMMEY, of Poughkeepsie, presiding. The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Grand Chaplain, Rev. S. P. M. HASTINGS, of New-York, after which over 100 newly-elected representatives to the grand body were initiated in due form. The Grand Worthy Patriarch and the Grand Scribe presented annual reports. The latter gave the following exhibit: Number of male members, 14,749; female, 5,866; lady visitors, 2,300; new members initiated during the past year, 1,800. The finance account is as follows: Amount received from all sources, $6,997 67; amount expended, $6,278 85; amount on hand, $[illegible].

A number of resolutions were adopted, of which the following is one:

Resolved, That all legislation upon the subject of temperance must be the outgrowth of public sentiment, and a deep and abiding conviction of its positive necessity, and that we favor the action of the State Temperance Committee, proposing to ask the next Legislature for the enactment of a law authorizing the people of a given locality to vote against the granting of licenses therein for the sale of liquors, with authority to public officers to abate said traffic as a nuisance in all places where such licenses are denied.

The State Quarterly Convention of the Grand Division Sons of Temperance met yesterday at the hall at the corner of Broad and Mechanic streets in Newark. Delegates to the number of 300, from all parts of the State, were present, and A. M. PALMER, G. W. P., presided. No business of particular importance was transacted. The evening was spent in listening to addresses from "Ned Buntline," Rev. S. W. HILLIARD and others.

Iowa and Its New Central Road.

DES MOINES, Friday, Oct. 15, 1869.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

How many of your readers have a definite idea of Iowa? How many know that it is larger than all of New-England except Maine, larger than New-York or Pennsylvania, and more fertile than all of them put together. How many know that she has more coal than Pennsylvania, and more tillable land than any other State in the Union. She has thirty-five million acres of deep black mould, and to-day you may turn a clean turf over thirty millions of it. The annual crop of grains is now nearly a hundred million bushels, and yet not one acre out of six is cultivated. She lies in the lap between the Mississippi and Missouri, and in the ages gone by this Iowa lap secured and held these rich deposits which the farmer now turns into such abundant crops. I think it must have been Iowa of which the poet said:

"Tickle her bosom with a plow
And it laughs with a harvest."

And to carry out the simile, the surface outlines of Iowa are perfect as a statue. The immense flats of Illinois are here changed into rounded undulations—gentle uprisings and gradations of curves—that make us think, that if we could see our Mother Earth from a far enough standpoint we should find her beautiful as any of her daughters. One has a right to be enthusiastic over such a State. As I recently stood upon some of her swelling ridges and looked over the immense oceans of waving wheat and rustling corn, I must say the dampness affected my eyes, and when Podgers asked me what I was crying about, I had to tell him, it was because I did not own any of that country. But didn't I think the national debt would be paid! and didn't I understand why Iowa didn't owe a cent in the world!

But, to check our enthusiasm and come down to what Gradgrind calls "the facts—the hard facts, Sir!" Rolling subjects are generally dry, and Iowa's rolling soil is a dry one. In a season of excessive rains, the water is turned off and the crops are not drowned out as in the country of flat prairies. Hence, she often has a large product, when less favored regions have but a small one. Do we say that Iowa grows; hardly. Growth is not at all the word for it; she bounds, she steams—in fine, she railroads.

Given all that generous, most bountiful nature could give her,—in soil, climate and character of population,—nothing but the railroad has made her what she is. She does not double her population every three years, but it is five times greater to-day than it was fifteen years ago, and her grain crop shows an increase from 11,000,000 bushels to 85,000,000 in the same period. The Chicago and Northwestern Railroad has reached one of its long arms across the State, connecting Clinton on the Mississippi with Omaha and the Union Pacific on the Missouri, a distance of 354 miles. The Chicago and Rock Island has done the same from Rock Island. The Burlington and Missouri, a corporation controlled by the owners of the Michigan Central and Burlington and Quincy, are building in the same direction further south, and the Pennsylvania Central have a longing eye for another east and west line to connect at Warsaw, Illinois, with one of their ramifications. On the north, the Dubuque and Sioux City has already reached Fort Dodge, and the McGregor Western—also commencing on the Mississippi—has its western objective on the Missouri. This will give five east and west lines across the State, which will average a distance of about forty-five miles apart. Of these, the Chicago and Northwestern is the only one that has been completed one year, and its earnings on its Iowa business during the first twelve months of its operation were $8,648 per mile. The Des Moines Valley is building northwesterly from Keokuk toward Fort Dodge, and there are several other roads projected. The production of the country is so great—so many millions of bushels of grain have to be shipped, and so many supplies must be returned for domestic use—that I believe all these lines will pay largely. After somewhat diligent inquiry, I could not learn that there was a single completed railroad line in the Northwest which was not only paying the interest on its bonded debt, but a dividend on its stock.

The road now attracting most attention, and the one most needed, is a north and south line across the State, connecting St. Louis and St. Paul. Iowa is rich in coal; but it is all in the southern part of the State. Northern Iowa and southern Minnesota have but a very scanty supply of fuel, and are looking to southern Iowa for a part of her abundance. St. Paul, or Minneapolis, is the greatest lumber market in the world, and Central Iowa is an immense consumer of the products of the forest, so that a large business in these two great staples seems inevitable for this road. Besides, the Iowa farmers have a very realizing sense of the fact, that the east and west roads controlled in Chicago, discriminate very heavily against all freights stopping short of that point. For example, 24 cents a bushel was charged on wheat from Central Iowa to Chicago last year, distance 240 miles, and 20 cents was charged to the Mississippi River, a distance of 180 miles. As the North Missouri Road is now finished to the south line of Iowa, and the Milwaukee and St. Paul to within twelve miles of the north line, the completion of this single link of 240 miles will make the through connection between St. Louis and St. Paul complete, and will shorten the present distance by rail 147 miles. The farmers, however, are most anxious for a southern outlet for their products, so that they need not submit to the heavy tariffs of the east and west roads without competition, and so that they may have a competing market for their crops in the Winter, while the lakes and the Mississippi above St. Louis are frozen. The people have taken hold of the matter in earnest, and forty-five miles from Ackley to Marshalltown are now just completed, and sixty miles more are graded ready for the iron. The subscriptions through the country are liberal, and many of the leading men of the State, as well as Eastern capitalists, have taken hold of the work with all energy that will insure its early completion.

O. C. GILMAN, a gentleman of great energy and pluck, is President. I notice that W. R. WEBSTER, President of the Central National Bank, and J. J. DONALDSON, President of the Bank of North America, and W. R. [illegible], of your City, are among the Directors here. I can see no reason why this should not be one of the most profitable, as it certainly is one of the most needed, roads in the State. The Western railroad system has not only made the West, but without it, you would have little to boast of in the East. Every dollar of Eastern capital invested in legitimate railroad enterprises in Iowa, not only enriches that State, but is repaid with liberal interest to the investor in person, and with continued interest in the increased wealth and prosperity of the whole country.

A. W. P.

The Westminster Review.

The republication of the *Westminster Review* for October is unavoidably deferred in consequence of the fire which yesterday destroyed the bindery of E. WALKER & SONS. The whole edition, which was just ready for publication, has been lost. It will be reprinted with all possible speed.

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BOYNTON—SMITH.—On Tuesday, Oct. 26, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Right Rev. A. N. Littlejohn, Bishop of Long Island, GEORGE A. BOYNTON to EMMA, daughter of Ira Smith, Jr., all of Brooklyn.

HODGSON—SMITH.—At West Brighton, S. I., on Tuesday, Oct. 26, by Rev. Mr. Seymour, Captain DANIEL B. HODGSON, U. S. R. M., to GEORGIA M., daughter of Captain George B. Smith.

HUYSHE—UHLHORN.—On Tuesday, Oct. 26, at the Church of the Holy Communion, by Rev. F. E. Lawrence, D. D., WENTWORTH HUYSHE, son of Major-General Alfred Huyshe, of the British Army, to GERTRUDE VERPLANCK, only daughter of the late William C. Uhlhorn, formerly of the Island of St. Thomas, and granddaughter of the late Commodore Beekman V. Hoffman, United States Navy.

OWEN—DUNHAM.—At St. Peter's Church, Brooklyn, by Rev. John A. Paddock, JAMES OWEN, of Orange, N.J., to MARY C. DUNHAM, of Brooklyn. No cards.

ROWE—TOWNSEND.—At Poughkeepsie, on Tuesday, Oct. 26, 1869, by Rev. F. B. Wheeler, D.D., JACOB ROWE, Esq., of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., to HATTIE M., daughter of the late Elijah Townsend, of Lagrange, N. Y.

WERNER—HARING.—At Omaha, Nebraska, on Thursday, Oct. 21, by Rev. Mr. Kermode, of the First Baptist Church, THEO. J. WERNER, of North Bend, Nebraska, to MARY ANNA HARING, of Newark, N. J.

WILSON—CLARKE.—At Rahway, N.J., on Tuesday, Oct. 26, at the residence of the bride's father, E. V. Clarke, Esq., by Rev. C. G. [illegible], JAMES A. WILSON to [illegible] L. CLARKE, both of Rahway.

DIED.

BOORMAN.—On Tuesday evening, Oct. 26, Mrs. MARY WELLES BOORMAN, widow of the late James Boorman, in the 86th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, without further invitation, on Friday, the 29th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., from her late residence, No. 13 Washington-square.

CORWIN.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Oct. 27, LIZZIE SCOTT, youngest daughter of E. R. and J. S. Corwin, aged 4 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, No. [illegible]. Remains will be taken to Huntington, L. I., for interment.

DODD.—At Bloomfield, N. J., on Tuesday, Oct. 26, ISAAC D. DODD, M. D., aged 70 years.

Funeral on Friday, 29th inst., from the Presbyterian Church, at 2 P. M. Friends desirous of seeing the remains can do so at his late residence, on that day, previous to the hour of the funeral service.

LAWRENCE.—In Jersey City, on Thursday, Oct. 21, GENEVRA, infant daughter of Cyrus and Julia Lawrence, aged 1 year, 10 months and 19 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 20 Montgomery-st., Jersey City, on Friday morning, at 9½ o'clock. The funeral will be at [illegible], N. Y., at the residence of Townsend [illegible], at 1 P. M.

LEECH.—At Ellenville, N. Y., on Saturday, Oct. 23, ELIZA LEECH, widow of the late George Leech, aged 73 years.

LEWIS.—On Wednesday, Oct. 27, of [illegible] fever, CATHARINE ARABELLA, daughter of Walter E. and Arabella B. Lewis, in the 12th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Friday, the 29th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., at the residence of her parents, No. 50 West 19th-st. Remains to be taken to Philadelphia for interment.

LIVINGSTON.—On Wednesday, Oct. 27, at her residence, No. 10 West 45th-st., CORNELIA, daughter of the late Philip Henry Livingston, of Livingston Manor.

Notice of funeral in evening papers.

LOCKWOOD.—On Wednesday morning, Oct. 27, SARAH, wife of Hanford Lockwood.

Funeral service will take place on Friday, 29th inst., at 1 P. M. Carriages will be in attendance to receive friends on arrival of the 1 P. M. train at Greenwich.

MARSHALL.—On Monday, Oct. 25, ANN, widow of the late William Marshall, of Columbia, S. C.

The funeral will take place from St. Francis Xavier's Church, West 16th-st., at 10 o'clock, on Thursday, 28th inst., when a requiem mass will be said, for the repose of her soul. Her friends, and those of her brother, Felix E. O'Rourke, and of her uncle, Felix Ingoldsby, are respectfully invited to attend.

RANDELL.—At Harlem, on Wednesday, Oct. 27, FRANKLIN SIMMONS, infant son of C. H. and M. A. Randell, aged 1 month and 15 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services this Thursday, at 4 o'clock P. M., at the residence of the parents, Avenue A, corner 117th-st.

SPENCER.—In New-London, Conn., on Tuesday, Oct. 26, 1869, Mrs. C. M. SPENCER, relict of the late M. [illegible] Spencer, of Philadelphia.

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UNDERWOOD.—On Monday, Oct. 25, JANE, wife of Benjamin Underwood.

The funeral will take place this (Thursday) afternoon, at 1 o'clock, from Calvary Church, corner of 4th-av. and 21st-st. The friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

VOORHEES.—On Monday, Oct. 25, MARTIN VOORHEES, of Princeton, N. J.

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EDWARD HAIGHT, President Bank of the Commonwealth.
S. C. THOMPSON, President First National Bank.
F. L. TAINTOR, Cashier Atlantic National Bank.
J. E. SOUTHWORTH, President Atlantic Nat. Bank.
GEO. S. COE, President American Exchange National Bank.
E. WILLSON, Cashier American Exchange National Bank.
GEO. ELLIS, Cashier Bank of the Commonwealth.
W. A. FALLS, Cashier Corn Exchange Bank.
JOHN T. HILL, Cashier Ninth National Bank.
WM. E. WHEELOCK, President Central Nat. Bank.
W. H. FOSTER, Vice-President, Central Nat. Bank.
C. F. COLES, Cashier Central National Bank.
E. H. ARTHUR, President Union Bank.
B. SEAMON, Cashier Fourth National Bank.
C. F. ALVORD, Sec. Manhattan Savings Institution.
WM. F. HAVEMEYER, VERMILYE & CO.
WM. A. WHEELOCK, President West Side Association.
JOHN P. PAULISON, President Sun Mutual Ins. Co.
PETER GILSEY, R. W. TOWNSEND.
MYER STERN, F. S. SHALLKROFT.
JAS. M. MCLEAN, President Insurance Company.
WM. H. VAN BUREN, M. D.
FLOYD SMITH, Vice-President Manhattan Gas Co.
ROBERT J. LIVINGSTON.
E. H. PINCKNEY, President Relief Insurance Co.
MORRIS FRANKLIN, President New-York Life Insurance Company.
WM. H. BEERS, Vice-President New-York Life Insurance Company.
JOHN S. SAUNDERS, of Winslow, Lanier & Co.
GEO. D. ARTHUR & Co., Bankers.
WHITE, MORRIS & Co., Bankers.
F. FREDERIC GUNTHER, THOMAS CUMMING.
PETER LYNCH & Co., JOHN O'GALLAGHAN.
P. HAYDEN & Co., Bankers.
MOSES H. GRINNELL, MOSES TAYLOR.

REGISTER! REGISTER! ON THE 28TH AND 29TH OCTOBER.

THE PEOPLE AGAINST THE TAMMANY RING.

An honest and independent Judiciary.
For Justice of the Supreme Court,
THOMAS W. CLERKE.

FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.
5th, 8th, 15th and 16th Wards.
UNITED REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.
FOR SENATOR,
JACOB SHARP.

SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.
REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.
FOR SENATOR,
RUFUS F. ANDREWS.

SEVENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
Regular Union Republican nomination.
For Assembly, CORNELIUS VAN COTT.
OWEN W. BRENNAN, Chairman.
JAMES J. CARROLL, Secretary.

UNITED REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.
For Assembly, 9th District,
JOHN H. COSTA.

SEVENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.
FOR ASSEMBLY,
FIFTEENTH WARD,
CHARLES P. SHAW.

AT A MEETING OF ELECTORS of the Fifth Senatorial District, comprising the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Wards, held at the office of Lewis & Dougherty, corner of 11th-st. and 6th-av., on the evening of Oct. 27, 1869, Mr. JAMES MICHALES, Jr., was nominated for Senator for said district.
WILLIAM LAUGHADAY, Ninth Ward, Chairman.
E. B. COAKS, Sixteenth Ward, Secretary.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.—For Member of Assembly 8th District, Lieutenant ALEXANDER THAIN.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Yesterday Messrs. Johnson & Miller had a very successful sale at Cresskill, N. J. About three hundred people were present, and notwithstanding a cheerless, chilly day, the bidding was very spirited. All the lots were sold, and owing to a new feature introduced, which gave five of the best lots to the five largest purchasers, the competition was very close. The largest purchaser was Mr. Chas. Hall, of New-York, who bought sixty-eight lots, and consequently had the choice. The others were Messrs. Baker, Terry and Oldfield, of Brooklyn, and Mr. Wood, of Tenafly.

To-day, at Orange, N. J., Messrs. A. D. Mellick, Jr., & Bro. have on sale 140 acres, situated one mile from the North Orange Station, on the slope of the Orange Mountain. The property is divided into villa sites of from one to five acres, and is very attractive. On the ground is a large mansion, containing over thirty rooms, well adapted for a Summer hotel, or a home for a gentleman of taste and wealth. Maps and passes may be had at the auctioneer's office, No. 8 Pine-street, or of Coudert Bros., No. 49 Wall-street.

At Elizabethport, N. J., an executor's sale of 130 vacant lots will be made by order of E. H. Kellogg, Esq. The special train will leave the foot of Liberty-street at 11 o'clock A. M. Maps and free passes may be had at the executor's offices, No. 3 Broadway, New-York, and Second-street, Elizabethport. Full particulars as to terms, &c., may be found in the advertisement which appears in another column.

Messrs. Lawrence, Oakley & Fleury had quite an interesting sale at Flushing, L. I., on Monday last, consisting of forty-two lots, which brought an average of $260 each. The attendance was good, the bidding spirited, and prices realized very satisfactory. The crowd was almost entirely local. The sale amounted to $10,9[illegible].

Auction Sales Yesterday.

MORRISTOWN, N. J.

By A. D. Mellick, Jr., & Bro.

1 lot on n. w. corner of Emmet-st. and horse railroad, 109.5x147.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot on w. side of Emmet-st., 50x147.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, same size ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, same size ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, same size ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, same size ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, same size ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.10 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.5 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.9 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.10 ... [illegible]
1 lot e. s. of Simeon Cory road, 79.8x59.11 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x147.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.2 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.2 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.2 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.2 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x148.10 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.5 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.2 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining above, 50x149.8 ... [illegible]
1 lot w. s. of Emmet-st., 100x[illegible] ... 1,150
1 lot adjoining, 100x257.8 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x258.5 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x264.6 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x282.10 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 111.5x275.2 ... [illegible]
1 lot, e. s. of Emmet-st., [illegible] ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x251 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x255.4 ... [illegible]
1 lot, n. s. of Hone-av., 115.5x200 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x200 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 100x200 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, 66x200 ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, same size ... [illegible]
1 lot adjoining, each ... [illegible]
H. and l. corner Maple-av. ... [illegible]

CRESSKILL, N. J.

By Messrs. Johnson & Miller.

4 lots, Nos. 26 to 29, block D, and brown-stone house, Madison-av., 25x100 ... $2,100
3 lots, Nos. 23 to 25, block D, Madison-av. and Orchard-st., 25x100, each ... [illegible]
7 lots, Nos. 1 to 7, block D, Monroe-av. and Orchard-st., 25x100, each ... [illegible]
[illegible]

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

[illegible]

Leases Recorded.

[illegible]

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

[illegible]

Leases Recorded.

[illegible]

QUEENS COUNTY.

College Point.

[illegible]

Clarenceville.

[illegible]

Flushing.

Washington-st., n. s., adjoining Gorwin's, 25x111 ... [illegible]

Newtown.

[illegible]

Woodside.

[illegible]

NEW-JERSEY.

Jersey City.

[illegible]

Bergen.

Lots Nos. 26 to 27, block No. 25, also lots Nos. 50 to 53, block No. 1, map of West Bergen ... $4,400
Belmont-av., n. s., [illegible] ft. w. of Bergen-av., 25x144 ... [illegible]
Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, block No. 1, map of E. H. Headley's property ... [illegible]
Atlantic-st., n. s., [illegible] ft. w. of Ocean-st., [illegible] ... [illegible]

West Hoboken.

Smith-st., s. s., lot No. 137, A. Magoon's lot, [illegible] ... [illegible]

Hoboken.

Lot No. 22, block No. 74, Coster's estate ... [illegible]

North Bergen.

Garden-st., lots Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 16, block No. 11, Coster's map ... [illegible]
Lots Nos. 1 to 5, block C, map of Secaucus City ... 1,300

Greenville.

Lot Nos. 1 and 2, block No. 2, Gould's map ... [illegible]
Lot No. 32, block No. 1, Nelson's map ... 450

Bayonne.

Woodlawn-av., n. w. s., 187 ft. s. w. of Oakland-av., 108x172x108 ... [illegible]
Avenue C, n. w. s., [illegible] ft. s. w. of Oakland-av., 175x200x172 ... [illegible]

Newark.

Kenney-st., s. s., 100 ft. from McWhorter-st., [illegible] ... [illegible]
South Market-st., 123 ft. w. of Jackson-st., [illegible] ... 1,274
South Orange-av., n. s., indefinite, 19x96 ... [illegible]
Elm-st., n. s., 125 ft. w. of Monroe-st., 25x101 ... 1,200
Quitman-st., 167 ft. from Waverley-place, [illegible] ... 3,000
Belmont-st., w. s., indefinite, 20x100 ... 1,350
West Bank-st., n. s., 75 ft. w. of Newtown-st., [illegible] ... [illegible]
Miller-st., n. s., indefinite, [illegible] ... [illegible]
Belleville-av., e. s., 95 ft. n. of Oriental-st., 42x150 ... 4,000

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE,

at a great bargain,

A VALUABLE HOTEL PROPERTY

ON WEST-ST., NEAR FULTON.

A great opportunity for investment, either for mercantile or hotel purposes.

Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE.—SOUTH SIDE 39TH-ST., BETWEEN 5th and 6th avs., three four-story, brown-stone, extra plumbed, black walnut, silver plated parlors with plate-glass, first-class houses, 20x60; lot 100; price $2,500; one four-story brown-stone, No. 139 West 52d-st., and No. 145 West 52d-st., three-story brown-stone, hard-wood parlors, at a bargain. Apply to J. W. STEVENS, on the premises, or 30 Pine-st., at 2 P. M.

THE FIRST-CLASS FOUR-STORY brown-stone house No. 22 Beekman-place, delightfully situated and very desirable, would be exchanged for property at Orange or Summit. Principals only. JOHN CROMWELL, No. 120 Broad-st.

FOR SALE—IN 21ST-ST., NEAR AND WEST of 6th-av., a very desirable three-story marble house, 21x50 feet; is well arranged and in perfect order throughout. Price low. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—HOUSE NO. 27 WEST 49TH-ST., Columbia College lease; first-class four-story free-stone, 20x55x100; handsomely finished with all modern improvements, and will be sold at a bargain. JOHN B. CHURCH & SON, No. 11 Pine-st.

MADISON-AV.—THREE FINE CORNER houses on Murray Hill; one at a great bargain. For sale by HAZARD, APTHORP & CO., Real Estate Brokers, No. 110 Broadway, corner Pine-st.

BROADWAY, OPPOSITE PARK, 19 x117; admirably adapted for insurance office or bank. For sale by HAZARD, APTHORP & CO., No. 110 Broadway, corner Pine.

SEE ADVERTISEMENT OF EXECUTOR'S sale of houses and lots at Elizabethport on THURSDAY, under head of real estate at auction.

BROOKLYN REAL ESTATE.

WHARF PROPERTY FOR SALE—A valuable plot of ground at Brooklyn, convenient to Fulton Ferry, with pier and depth of water for the largest vessels; also, right to fill out to bulk-head line. The attention of manufacturers, warehousemen and coal dealers is invited to this property, as it is well adapted to their uses. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

TO-DAY'S

ORANGE SALE

IS NOT A

GRAND COLLATION EXCURSION,

BUT AN ABSOLUTE SALE OF

VALUABLE PROPERTY.

It is a rare opportunity for buying choice

ORANGE PROPERTY

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

No small lots will be offered, each parcel containing from

TWO TO FIVE ACRES.

Refreshments can be purchased on the ground. If the day proves stormy sale to take place TO-MORROW.

Carriages will be in waiting on the arrival of the special train, which leaves New-York at 11 A. M. Free tickets at the office of

A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., No. 8 Pine-st.

FOR SALE.

THE MONTCLAIR HOTEL.

This is without doubt one of the best, and still growing every day, hotel stand in New-Jersey; two fortunes have been made and the present owner wishes to retire, therefore will sell at very easy terms; this is a chance not found every day. E. B. WRIGHT, Montclair Hotel, Montclair, N. J.

ORANGE, N. J.—RESIDENCE, EVERY modern convenience; three acres under highest cultivation; stable, carriage, cow and hen houses; cold grapery, stocked; a quantity of fruit and shade trees; two hydraulic rams, supplying house and fountain. Will exchange. HAMILTON & WALLIS, No. 9 Nassau-st., corner of Pine, Orange Real Estate Agents.

AT RUTHERFORD PARK, N. J., 40 minutes by Erie Railway from foot of Chambers or Twenty-third-st., choice building plots close to the depot. For sale by the Mount Rutherford Company at private sale only. Apply to ROBT. BLAUVELT, No. 187 Broadway, or R. H. BARROWS, Rutherford Park.

ORANGE, N. J.—VILLAS, VILLA SITES and farms, a great variety, beautifully situated one hour from N. Y.; [illegible] low. Also, country seats and houses to let for the season, or year, by BLACKWELL & SMITH, 240 Broadway, N. Y., 9 to 11 A. M.; Orange, corner Main and Cone sts., 1 to 5 P. M.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE IN PART—A modern two-story and extension dwelling, (fifteen rooms,) carriage house, &c., with twelve lots, only five minutes from Glendale depot; terms easy. Apply at No. 5 Beekman-st., Room No. 7.

SEE ADVERTISEMENT OF EXECUTOR'S sale of houses and lots at Elizabethport on THURSDAY, under head of real estate at auction.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

TO LET—FURNISHED, TO A PRIVATE family only, for one year, possession immediately, a three-story and attic high-stoop house, in most perfect order, with every convenience, desirably located at No. 114 Congress-st., between Henry and Clinton, Brooklyn; to a family with unexceptionable reference the terms will be satisfactory. House can be seen at any time, or call on T. B. STARR, No. 22 John-st., New-York.

TO LET—THE DESIRABLE THREE-STORY and basement house No. 82 Hicks-st., Brooklyn. It is in complete order, and will be let at a moderate rent to a private family only, with immediate possession. Apply to J. F. DE SILVER, No. 63 William-st., New-York.

TO LET—FLOORS OF FOUR ROOMS, WITH Croton, gas, stationary washtubs, &c., in the new houses 2d-av. and 116th-st., and 3d-av. and 116th and 118th sts.; rent $13 to $18. Apply to LOPER DAVIS, 126th-st., corner 1st-av.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

TO LET—A HANDSOME MARBLE STORE, new, five stories, basement and cellar, 25x85, all improvements, No. 27 Great Jones-st., near Broadway. Wholesale firms contemplating a move will do well to see this store, as it will be let whole or in part at a very low rent. Apply to A. BRAITEAU & CO., No. 24 Bond-st. Agents take notice.

TO LET—THREE SPACIOUS STORES IN the new building of the New-York Dispensary, corner Centre and White sts. Also, the cellar and a fine, well-lighted upper floor. Apply at the office in the building, or to

D. COLDEN MURRAY, Treasurer, No. 42 South-st., City.

TO LET OR LEASE—FOR A TERM OF years, a desirable property on Broadway, facing Union-square, north side, with immediate possession. For further particulars and terms apply to H. H. CAMMANN, No. 31 Pine-st.

PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE TO LET—Two large furnished rooms on first floor in an English basement house, with gas, fire, hot and cold water and attendance. Inquire at No. 129 West 36th-st.

OFFICE TO LET.—TWO FRONT ROOMS on the second floor of No. 1 New Chambers-st. Inquire on the premises of LEXOW & VOIGT, or of W. L. CONKLIN, No. 33 6th-av.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED.

STABLE.—WANTED TO HIRE PART OF A stable, for three horses and two light carriages, in vicinity of Lexington-av. and 40th-st. Reply, stating rent, location, C., Box No. 5,565 Post Office.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

LARGE AND IMPORTANT SALE OF

VALUABLE TIMBER AND FARM LANDS,

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT.

Under the direction of J. L. Lefferts, Referee.

TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION BY

E. H. LUDLOW & CO., ON THURSDAY, NOV. 4, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

AT THE COURT HOUSE, POUGHKEEPSIE,

BEING PART OF THE ESTATE OF ELIZABETH LUDLOW,

[illegible] acres of farm and timber lands, situated about two miles from Bangall Station, on Dutchess and Columbia Railroad, consisting of chestnut, oak and maple of the best quality. Also, at same time and place, 24 lots in the City of Poughkeepsie.

Book maps at the auctioneers' [illegible].

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

AUCTION SALE BY EXECUTOR

OF

COTTAGES, HOUSES, STORES,

AND

130 VACANT LOTS OUT OF 380,

AT

ELIZABETHPORT, N. J.,

Belonging to

THE ESTATE OF EDWARD KELLOGG,

ON THURSDAY, OCT. 28, 1869,

at 12 o'clock noon, on the premises,

RAIN OR SHINE.

FIFTY TRAINS DAILY.

ACTUAL TIME from NEW-YORK, 30 to 40 minutes. COMMUTATION RATE, less than 10 cents per day. Special train leaves foot of Liberty-st., N. R., by Central Railroad of New-Jersey at 11 A. M.

FREE TICKETS TO AND FROM THE SALE.

REFRESHMENTS FREE ON THE GROUND, BUT NO LIQUOR.

TERMS OF SALE ON LOTS WITH HOUSES.

Ten per cent. on day of sale, the balance payable in installments of $25 to $50 per month, with semi-annual interest on deferred payments. (Exact amount of monthly payment on each house will be stated at the time of sale.) Customary executor's contract for deed given; or,

Ten per cent. on day of sale, thirty per cent. in thirty days, and sixty per cent. on bond and mortgage for three or five years, with semi-annual interest, and privilege to pay at any time during that period.

ON VACANT LOTS.

Ten per cent. on day of sale, the balance payable in installments of $10 or more, per month, with semi-annual interest on deferred payments. Customary executor's contract for deed given.

If purchase amounts to $500, purchasers may pay as above, or may pay ten per cent. on day of sale, twenty per cent. in thirty days, and seventy per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage, for three years, with semi-annual interest, having privilege to pay at any time during that period.

NO CHARGE FOR AUCTIONEER'S FEES.

Persons desiring different terms will be accommodated, if possible, by applying before the day of sale, to

E. H. KELLOGG, Executor, No. 3 Broadway, New-York, or 2d-st., Elizabethport.

For map of property and free tickets, apply as above.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., Auctioneers and Dealers in New-Jersey Real Estate, No. 8 Pine-st., New-York.

THURSDAY, Oct. 28,

at 12½ P. M.,

on the premises,

PEREMPTORY SALE

of the elegant and well-known estate of

A. F. PILLOT, Esq.,

at

ORANGE, N. J.

This property has long been known as one of the most elegant in the vicinity of New-York; it comprises 140 acres, situated one mile from the North Orange Station, on the slope of the famous Orange Mountain, in the immediate vicinity of the handsome residences of Dr. Marcy, General McClellan, George Hecker, Francis Tomes, and many other prominent New-York gentlemen.

THE LOCATION IS UNSURPASSED.

From any part of the property most magnificent and extended views are obtained, acknowledged to be among the finest in the United States, embracing the lovely Orange Valley, Newark, New-York City and Bay and the Narrows, and all the intervening country.

The property has been improved for the past 20 years, and is in fine condition, with a surface well diversified, embracing deep ravines, brooks of the purest spring water, and magnificent trees.

The mansion is very spacious, 70x80, and contains over thirty rooms, and is peculiarly adapted for a Summer hotel, an institution, or a home for gentlemen of taste; it is perfect in all its appointments, having every modern convenience.

The grounds about the house are beautifully improved, and have been well cared for; drives and walks, beautiful lawns, lakes, fountains and cascades, rustic bridges, ornamental trees and shrubs, a large stable and coachhouse, hothouses, graperies, &c. Spring water from the mountain top is thrown over all parts of the grounds; everything pertaining to the house and grounds is of the most substantial description.

The famous orange iron and sulphur spring is near the mansion and will be sold with it.

THE PROPERTY IS TO BE ABSOLUTELY SOLD, DIVIDED INTO ATTRACTIVE VILLA SITES OF FROM ONE TO FIVE ACRES.

The residence will be sold with 12 acres of land.

This is a rare opportunity to buy elegant property in small parcels.

For passes and maps apply to COUDERT BROTHERS, No. 49 Wall-st., and to A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BROTHER, No. 8 Pine-st.

SALE OF THE UNITED STATES ARMORY AND OTHER GROUNDS AT HARPER'S FERRY, WEST VA., AND VICINITY.

ORDNANCE OFFICE, WASHINGTON, Sept. [illegible], 1869.

In pursuance of the act approved Dec. 15, 1868, and by direction of the Secretary of War, the property of the United States at Harper's Ferry, West Va., and vicinity, will be sold by public auction, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of November, 1869, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., and continuing from day to day until all is sold.

The value of this property for manufacturing purposes is too well known to render it necessary to describe it herein, but a description of the same is being prepared, and will be sent to persons who may wish it, as soon as it is printed, upon their applying by letter to this office.

The property will be sold in lots. The first will include the Musket Factory, embracing a strip of land running to the western boundary, on the Potomac, the Armory Canal, and water power of the river. The walls of two large buildings are standing on the ground, and the foundations of several others; and the water wheels, with gearing, and the flumes are in almost perfect order. Three of them are turbines, of the most approved kind, and the others are mostly cast iron with wooden buckets.

The second will be the site of the Rifle Factory and water power on the Shenandoah, the buildings upon which have been destroyed, but the canal is in good order.

The third will be the Shenandoah Ferry, with a tract of 60 acres of land on the south, and a lot on the Harper's Ferry shore opposite.

The fourth will be the perpetual right to cut and remove wood from a tract of 1,395 acres mountain land across the Shenandoah.

The fifth will be the right to dig iron ore from a tract of about 1,400 acres of land known as Friend's Ore Bank, acquired by deed from Henry Lee and others.

The remainder, consisting of houses and lots in the town, will be sold lot by lot.

The Government will convey to the purchasers, after payment shall have been made in full, all its right and title to the property, which is believed to be perfect in every case.

The terms of sale, prescribed by law, are a credit of one and two years, the purchasers to give bond and security for the payment of the purchase money; and these terms must be complied with within ten days after the sale.

A map, showing the metes and bounds of the Harper's Ferry property, will be exhibited at the time of sale.

The Government reserves the right to withdraw any or all lots offered, if the bids are not satisfactory.

A. B. DYER, Brevet Major-General, Chief Ordnance.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENTS.

Persons who purchased lots in 1868, and have not fully paid for them, are notified that if they pay what is due before the day of sale, the lots will be deeded to them, otherwise they will be resold.

A. B. DYER, Brevet Major-General, Chief Ordnance.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

BY JOHNSON & MILLER. No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 3,

at 12 o'clock, at the

TRUSTEES' HALL,

Fulton-st., near Perrot-av.,

ASTORIA, L. I.

ABSOLUTE SALE, WITHOUT LIMIT OR RESERVATION, RAIN OR SHINE,

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF ASTORIA, OF

SIXTY ONE VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS,

finely located within two blocks of the Hunter's Point and Astoria Horse Car Railroad; five minutes' walk from steamboat landing; ten minutes' walk from the ferry to 92d-st., New-York. Situate in the heart of the VILLAGE OF ASTORIA,

on high ground, commanding magnificent views of New-York City and surrounding country, and in the immediate vicinity of where splendid improvements are now being made. Accessible by railroad, Hudson boat, and ferry to 92d-st., New-York.

This property, located in one of the most thriving villages on Long Island, and of such convenient access from New-York and Brooklyn by railroad, ferry and steamboat, (being only a few minutes from either City,) will be sold to the highest bidder, regardless of price and on easy terms.

Maps and full particulars are now ready at the office of JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York.

HOMER WILKINS, Auctioneer.

101 VALUABLE LOTS AND GORES ON Weehawken Heights, New-Jersey, at auction.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, Oct. 28, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York, 101 valuable lots and gores on New Boulevard, Bergen, Bull's Ferry and Branch turnpikes.

The above property is well located, on high ground, commanding a fine view of the Hudson River and surrounding country, is perfectly healthy, in the midst of first-class residences, and well calculated for immediate improvement; accessible every ten minutes by horse cars from Hoboken, from which it is distant about two miles.

Terms of sale, 10 per cent. and auctioneers' fees on day of sale; 60 per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage for three years; balance on delivery of deeds, in thirty days.

Maps, &c., at No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—CITY AND COUNTY of New-York.—THE GLOBE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY vs. HELEN M. COOK, BENJAMIN F. COOK, ROBERT FOULDS, CHARLES JONES, Assignee in Bankruptcy of the said Benjamin F. Cook and Morgan Jones.—Amended Summons for Relief.—(Com. not Ser.)—To the defendants and each of them: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, State of New-York, on the 9th day of October, 1869, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their offices, No. 208 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and, if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, Oct. 26, 1869.

TAYLOR & ANDREWS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

A copy of the amended summons and complaint was filed with the Clerk of Richmond County on the 9th day of October, 1869. TAYLOR & ANDREWS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID LARGE BAY horse, suitable for a coupe or Victoria. Apply from 10 to 12 o'clock, at private stable, No. 122 West 40th-st.

FOR SALE—A CLOSE CARRIAGE, IN GOOD order, made by Lawrence & Co. Can be seen at [illegible] stable, No. [illegible] East 26th-st.

FINANCIAL.

SOUTHERN CENTRAL

RAILROAD

OF NEW-YORK.

FIRST MORTGAGE

THIRTY-YEAR Seven per Cent.

SINKING FUND BONDS,

AMOUNTING TO

$1,500,000

INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY, FEB. 1, AND AUG. 1, IN NEW-YORK.

These Bonds are amply secured upon the Railway from New-York State line near Waverly to Lake Ontario, at Fair Haven, a part of which is completed, and the rest is under construction.

$2,000,000

Has been already expended on the works. It is a First Mortgage upon the entire Road, the Rolling Stock and Franchises of this First-Class Railway, which by the 1st of January will be in

Successful Operation for 70 Miles.

That Section from Owego to Auburn is one of the Richest farming districts in Western New-York. In addition to this the Bonds are also secured by a

SINKING FUND

Of 1 per cent. per annum from the net earnings of the Company to be placed in the hands of Trustees for accumulation and for the liquidation of the debt thus created.

The avails of the Bonds now offered for sale will be devoted to the construction of the Road from Owego to the State line, to the completion of the Road from Auburn north to Lake Ontario, to the erection of necessary buildings, and to the purchase of additional Rolling Stock for the proper equipment of the Road.

The Avails of the Bonds will be Ample to Complete and Thoroughly Equip the Entire Line.

THE BONDS HAVE

THIRTY YEARS TO RUN,

From Aug. 1, 1869, and will pay

SEVEN PER CENT.

Semi-annually, on Feb. 1 and Aug. 1.

FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS OF THE LOAN HAVE ALREADY BEEN NEGOTIATED.

The undersigned now offer the balance of

$1,100,000

At 87½ and Accrued Interest.

At their present price they will pay nearly NINE PER CENT.

Pamphlets and maps, giving full information, will be sent on application.

VERMILYE & CO., BANKERS, Nos. 16 and 18 Nassau-st., New-York.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD

SEVEN PER CENT.

First Mortgage Bonds,

FOR SALE BY

VERMILYE & CO.

BANKERS,

Nos. 16 and 18 Nassau-st., New-York.

DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO., NO. 3 WALL-ST.,

Issue letters of credit for

TRAVELERS,

Available in all the principal cities of Europe, through

DREXEL, HARJES & CO., NO. 3 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS.

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STOCK, BOND AND GOLD BROKER.

No. 30 Broad-st.

FOR SALE—TEN PER CENT. CITY AND town bonds, in State of Illinois; first-class securities, of undoubted character, below par.

Real valuation of property, $9,186,000.

Whole indebtedness of towns only $263,000.

Also, New-York City Railroad Stocks and Bonds, Insurance, Bank and Gaslight Stocks, and a large variety of other stocks and bonds for profitable investments, at low rates, for sale by

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Paris, No. 12 Rue de la Paix; New-York, No. 19 William-st.; Boston, No. 76 State-st.

Issue bills on Paris and the Union Bank of London in sums to suit; also circular letters of credit for travelers, available throughout the world. Letters to their care for travelers forwarded on receipt and delivery.

Agents for the Press in Europe.

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BROWN BROTHERS & CO., NO. 59 WALL-ST.

Issue COMMERCIAL and TRAVELERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

OFFICE OF THE HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD CO., NEW-YORK, Sept. 22, 1869.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.—Please to take notice that a meeting of the stockholders of the Hudson River Railroad Company will be held at the office of said Company, No. 470 West 30th-st., in the City of New-York, on MONDAY, the first day of November, A. D. 1869, at 1 o'clock P. M., for which meeting will be submitted an agreement entered into between the Directors of said Company and those of the New-York Central Railroad Company, for the consolidation of said companies and railroads, and a vote by ballot taken thereof, for the adoption or rejection of the same, by order of the Board of Directors.

AUGUSTUS SCHELL, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE DUBUQUE AND SIOUX CITY RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 12 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 18, 1869.

NOTICE.—THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE sinking fund bonds of the Company have this day designated the following for redemption: Nos. 761, 762, 765, 766, 799, 800, 801, 516 of $1,000 each, and Nos. 49, 52, 68 and 71 of $500 each. The bonds, with accrued interest, will be paid at this office on presentation. Interest will cease after the 1st of November next.

J. B. DUMONT, Assistant Secretary.

SPUYTEN DUYVIL AND PORT MORRIS RAILROAD COMPANY.—NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The annual election for thirteen directors of this Company for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the Company, corner of 4th-av. and 26th-st., on TUESDAY, the 9th day of November next.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon until 1 o'clock P. M. of that day. The transfer books will be closed from 4 o'clock P. M. of the 8th day of November until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 10th day of November next.

ROBERT J. NIVEN, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 20, 1869.

OFFICE OF THE THIRD-AV. RAILROAD COMPANY, 3D-AV., BETWEEN 65TH AND 66TH STS., NEW-YORK, Oct. 20, 1869.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Third-av. Railroad Company for the election of thirteen Directors and three Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 10, prox. The polls will be open from 2 to 4 o'clock P. M. The transfer books of the Company will be closed from Nov. 4 until Nov. 11, prox. By order of the Board.

CHARLES S. ARTHUR, Secretary.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—THE interest on the bonds and stocks of the City and County of New-York, due and payable Nov. 1, 1869, will be paid on that day by Peter B. Sweeny, Esq., Chamberlain of the City, at his office in the new Court House.

The transfer books will be closed Friday, Oct. 1, 1869.

RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, Sept. 24, 1869.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY CO., NO. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 21, 1869.

THE EQUIPMENT BONDS OF THIS Company due Nov. 1, 1869, will be paid on presentation at this office, less interest at seven per cent. for the unexpired time.

A. L. PRITCHARD, Treasurer.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 22, 1869.

THE COUPONS DUE NOV. 1, PROX., on the Second Mortgage Bonds of the Montgomery and West Point Railroad will be paid at the National Bank of the Republic, New-York.

C. T. POLLARD, President.

FINANCIAL.

The First Mortgage Bonds

OF THE

UNION PACIFIC

RAILROAD CO.

INTEREST 6 PER CENT. IN GOLD.

Since the opening of the Pacific Railroad, May 10, its earnings have been at the rate of about EIGHT MILLION DOLLARS PER YEAR. The earnings for September were $[illegible], and for the first fifteen days of October, $412,224, indicating a TOTAL FOR THE MONTH of

$825,000.

The First Mortgage Bonds of the Company amount to $28,[illegible], and the interest liability to $1,728,000 gold, or about $2,334,000 in currency. It will be noticed that the present earnings provide an ample fund for the payment of this interest and leave a large surplus.

THE LAND GRANT BONDS

To the amount of Ten Million Dollars, were issued to obtain means to finish the Road, and are secured by a FIRST MORTGAGE upon the entire Land Grant of the Company, amounting to 12,[illegible],000 acres. The sales of land were opened in Omaha July 27, and average at the rate of $200,000 per month.

THE LAND GRANT BONDS ARE RECEIVED in payment for all the Company's lands, at par, and the demand from actual settlers will give them a certain market. They run twenty years and pay seven per cent. interest in currency.

Although the Company have disposed of all their bonds, yet, as they are offered in market, we continue to fill orders at the current rates.

We have no hesitation in recommending both the First Mortgage and the Land Grant Bonds as a very valuable and perfectly safe investment.

JOHN J. CISCO & SON, Bankers, NO. 59 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

THE

NATIONAL TRUST

COMPANY,

OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK,

NO. 336 BROADWAY.

CAPITAL - $1,000,000

PAYS 4 PER CENT. INTEREST ON DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK AT SIGHT.

PAYS 5 PER CENT. INTEREST ON SPECIAL DEPOSITS FOR SIX MONTHS OR LONGER.

THE COMPANY IS A LEGAL DEPOSITORY FOR MONEYS PAID INTO COURT, AND RECEIVES MONEYS IN TRUST.

DARIUS R. MANGAM, President.

B. L. SOLOMON, First Vice-President. BENJ. F. BANCROFT, Second Vice-President.

JAMES MERRELL, Secretary.

BANKING HOUSE OF

JAY COOKE & CO.

NEW-YORK, PHILADELPHIA AND WASHINGTON.

NO. 20 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

We buy, sell and exchange, at most liberal rates, all issues of

GOVERNMENT BONDS

and bonds of Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad Company, and execute orders for purchase and sale of

STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD.

WE NEGOTIATE RAILROAD AND MUNICIPAL LOANS, receive deposits, subject to check, allowing interest, and transact a general banking business.

JAY COOKE & CO.

BANKING HOUSE OF

Geo. Opdyke & Co.

25 Nassau St.

CORNER OF CEDAR ST.

FOUR PER CENT. interest allowed on current accounts, subject to check at sight.

PRIME INVESTMENTS for trust and other funds always on hand.

INVESTMENT ORDERS promptly executed for Governments, Gold, Bonds and other securities.

COLLECTIONS WANTED ON CHICAGO, KEOKUK, DES MOINES, IOWA CITY, ST. JOSEPH, and other points in the Western States.

MUNROE & CO.,

AMERICAN BANKERS,

NO. 7 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS.

JOHN MUNROE & CO., NO. 8 WALL-ST., New-York.

Issue Circular Letters of Credit for Travelers in all parts of Europe, &c. Exchange on Paris.

BANKERS' AND BROKERS' ASSOCIATION,

NO. 18 BROAD-ST.

LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY.

CAPITAL ... $1,000,000
PAID IN ... $500,000

TRUSTEES.

H. M. BENEDICT, Pres't Gold Ex. Bank.	G. T. BONNER, G. T. Bonner & Co.
J. L. BROWNELL, J. L. Brownell & Bro.	T. S. MARLOR.
T. H. MARVIN, Marvin Bros. & Co.	JAMES D. SMITH, Jameson, Smith & Cotting.
T. B. STOUT, Stout & Dickinson.	R. W. MARTIN, Jr., R. W. Martin, Jr., & Co.
A. M. FERRIS, A. M. Ferris & Bro.	JAMES B. COLGATE, Trevor & Colgate.
T. B. MUSGRAVE, Musgrave & Co.	L. J. VAN BOSKERCK, Lockwood & Co.
	JOHN BONNER, John Bonner & Co.

Transacts a general banking business.

Receives deposits subject to check at sight, and allows five per cent. interest on balance.

Interest allowed on deposits for a specified time, as per agreement.

JOHN BONNER, President.

D. W. BRIDAY, Manager.

NATIONAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC, NEW-YORK, Oct. 25, 1869.

HAVING BEEN ORDERED BY THE Board of Education to invest the School Fund from time to time in North Carolina Bonds, the undersigned will receive sealed proposals till MONDAY, the 1st day of November next, at the National Bank of the Republic, in New-York City, for the delivery of $400,000 in the bonds of the State of North Carolina.

Those offering bonds will designate the class and denomination of bonds offered and the amount of past due interest they bear.

The right is reserved to reject offers not deemed advantageous.

D. A. JENKINS, Treasurer Board of Education of North Carolina.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK MINING COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 21, 1869.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of this Company, for the election of Directors, will be held at the office, No. 125 Front-st., on MONDAY, the 1st of November next, at 12 o'clock.

The poll will be open from 12 to 1 o'clock.

WILLIAM H. FLEMING, Secretary.

PORT HURON AND LAKE MICHIGAN RAILROAD CO., TREASURER'S OFFICE, PORT HURON, Mich., Oct. 14, 1869.

THE COUPONS OF THE SEVEN PER Cent. First Mortgage Sinking Fund Bonds of the Port Huron and Lake Michigan Railroad Company, due Nov. 1, 1869, will be paid on and after that date, IN GOLD COIN, free of Government tax, on presentation at the office of S. W. HOPKINS & CO., No. 71 Broadway, New-York.

W. L. BANCROFT, Treasurer.

PENINSULAR RAILWAY COMPANY, TREASURER'S OFFICE, BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Oct. 14, 1869.

THE COUPONS OF THE SEVEN PER cent. First Mortgage Sinking Fund Bonds of the Peninsular Railway Company of Michigan, due Nov. 1, 1869, will be paid on and after that date IN GOLD COIN, free of Government tax, on presentation at the office of S. W. HOPKINS & CO., No. 71 Broadway, New-York.

C. WAKELEE, Treasurer.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 22, 1869.

THE COUPONS DUE NOV. 1, 1869, of the First Mortgage Eight per Cent. Bonds of the Mobile and Montgomery Railroad Company, will be paid, less United States tax, on presentation at the banking house of GEORGE OPDYKE & CO., No. 25 Nassau-st., on and after that date.

CHAS. T. POLLARD, President.

OFFICE OF CEDAR FALLS & MINNESOTA R. R. CO., NO. 41 CEDAR-ST., CORNER OF WILLIAM-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 26, 1869.

THE COUPONS OF THE FIRST Mortgage Bonds of the Cedar Falls and Minnesota Railroad Company, due 30th of October, will be paid on presentation at the office of the Company on and after that date, less Government tax.

JOHN S. KENNEDY, President.

OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NO. 141 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 18, 1869.

AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS OF this Company for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of this Company on MONDAY, the first day of November next. The polls will be open from 1 to 2 o'clock P. M.

WM. RAYNOR, Secretary.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, STATE TREASURER'S OFFICE, LANSING, Oct. 25, 1869.

THE INTEREST DUE NOV. 1, 1869, on the bonds issued by the State of Michigan, will be paid at the Mercantile National Bank, in the City of New-York.

E. O. GROSVENOR, State Treasurer.

HANNIBAL AND NAPLES FIRST Mortgage Bonds.—The November interest on the Hannibal and Naples First Mortgage Bonds will be paid at our office No. 19 William-st.

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FINANCIAL.

VERMILYE & CO.

BANKERS,

16 and 18 Nassau-st., New-York.

DEALERS IN ALL ISSUES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES AND IN GOLD AND GOLD COUPONS.

CLOSING PRICES.

New-York, Oct. 27, 1869—3 P. M.

	Buy.	Sell.		Buy.	Sell.
Registered, 1881	119¼	119¾	5-20 Coupon, '67	117	117⅜
Coupon, 1881	119¾	119⅞	5-20 Coupon, '68	117	117⅜
5-20 Regis., 1862	114½	114¾	10-40 Regis.	107⅜	108¼
5-20 Coupon, '62	120⅜	120⅝	10-40 Coupon	107⅜	108¼
5-20 Coupon, '64	118	118¼	Gold	129	130¼
5-20 Coupon, '65	119	119¼	U. S. Cur. Pac.	107⅜	107⅞
5-20 Coupon, '65 Jan. and July	117	117¼			

BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION

RAILWAY STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD.

MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES.

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

MACOUPIN COUNTY

TEN PER CENT. BONDS,

HOWES & MACY,

NO. 30 WALL-ST.,

Offer for sale bonds of Macoupin County, Ill., issued for the building of a Court House, bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum. Coupons payable semi-annually in New-York. These bonds are considered first-class, and very desirable for investors.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, CLEVELAND, Oct. 22, 1869.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE UNANIMOUS vote of the stockholders, the Board of Directors have ordered an increase of the capital stock of this Company of fifteen per cent. upon the present capital, to be distributed to the stockholders as registered at the close of the transfer books on the 25th day of October inst., and deliverable on SATURDAY, Nov. 6 prox.

Fractional shares will be delivered in scrip, redeemable in the capital stock of the Company when presented in sums of not less than $50.

Certificates for stockholders registered in New-York will be delivered for thirty days at the office of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, and afterward at the office of the Company in Cleveland.

The transfer books will close on the 25th inst., and reopen on the 8th day of November prox.

GEO. A. INGERSOLL, Secretary.

OFFICE OF WELLS, FARGO & COMPANY, NO. 84 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 22, 1869.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the transfer books of this Company will close on Saturday, the 23d day of October, 1869, at 3 o'clock P. M., and will be opened on Friday, the 12th day of November, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of Board of Directors.

GEORGE K. OTIS, Secretary.

MANUFACTURERS' AND MERCHANTS' BANK, NOS. 561 AND 563 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 26, 1869.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS and Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking Rooms, on TUESDAY, Nov. 9, prox. Polls will be open from 12 till 1 o'clock.

THEO. D. WARREN, Cashier.

DIVIDENDS.

THE ST. LOUIS AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD CO.

Notice is hereby given that the Coupons of the St. Louis and St. Joseph Railroad Company due Nov. 1 next, 1869, will, if desired, be cashed in Gold, Free of Government Tax, at the Banking Office of Messrs. Tanner & Co., No. 49 Wall-st., New-York, less the rebate at the rate of 5 Per Cent. per annum in Gold from the time of presentation until Nov. 1 next.

L. M. LAWSON, President.

OFFICE OF THE DRY DOCK, E. BROADWAY AND BATTERY R. R. CO., E. 14TH-ST. AND AVENUE D, NEW-YORK, Oct. 25, 1869.

DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Company have declared their usual quarterly dividend, free of Government tax, payable on and after 1st November next, at the office of the Company. Transfer books will close 26th instant, until 2d November. WM. WHITE, President.

OFFICE OF THE WILKESBARRE COAL AND IRON CO., NO. 80 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 26, 1869.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT., free from Government tax, payable on and after Nov. 15, 1869, has this day been declared. The books of the Company, for the transfer of stock, will be closed from Nov. 1 to 15, inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

S. M. WILLIAMS, Treasurer, pro tem.

OFFICE OF THE RUTLAND MARBLE COMPANY, NO. 32 EXCHANGE-PLACE, NEW-YORK, Oct. 21, 1869.

A DIVIDEND OF TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. has been declared out of the earnings of this Company, payable on and after Nov. 1, 1869, to stockholders of record on the 28th October. The transfer books will be closed Oct. 28, and reopened Nov. 2.

A. [illegible], Treasurer.

THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 19, 1869.

A DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT. free of all taxes has been declared on the capital of this bank, payable on and after Nov. 1.

The transfer books will be closed from this date and reopen on the 2d November.

E. WILLSON, Cashier.

THE NATIONAL MECHANICS' BANKING ASSOCIATION OF NEW-YORK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 19, 1869.

THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS have this day declared a dividend of Five (5) per Cent., payable to stockholders on and after the 1st day of November next, free of all taxes.

The transfer books will be closed from this date to Nov. 1. By order. F. CHANDLER, Cashier.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 22, 1869.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT., free from all taxes, has been declared on the capital stock of this Bank, payable on and after the 1st day of November next, to which date the transfer books will be closed.

GEO. W. YOULE, Cashier.

UNION NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 19, 1869.

DIVIDEND.—A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER Cent. has been declared by this bank, free from all taxation, payable on the 1st day of November next, to which date the transfer books will remain closed.

JAMES M. LEWIS, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE ATLANTIC AND GREAT WESTERN PETROLEUM COMPANY, NO. 123 BOWERY, (ORIENTAL BANK,) NEW-YORK, Oct. 18, 1869.

A TEN (10) PER CENT. QUARTERLY Dividend has this day been declared payable on the 1st of November.

W. A. HALL, Treasurer.

MERCANTILE NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 26, 1869.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock of this Bank, free of all taxes, has been declared, payable on the 1st day of November next.

N. AMERMAN, Cashier.

SAVINGS BANKS.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK, 8TH-AV., corner of 14th-st.—SIX PER CENT. INTEREST paid on all sums from $5 to $5,000. Deposits made on or before Nov. 1, will draw interest from Nov. 1. Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.; also, on Monday, Thursday and Saturday evenings, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

ONE PER CENT. MORE INTEREST is gained by depositing on or before Nov. 1, DIME SAVINGS BANK, Nos. 3 and 5 Broadway, Williamsburg.

FURNITURE.

CABINET FURNITURE.

First-class FURNITURE, in parlor, library and chamber suites of newest styles.

Our entire stock warranted.

BORNHENCAMP & SOSSAU, MANUFACTURERS,

No. 924 Broadway, between 21st and 22d sts., New-York.

Orders from the country promptly attended to.

FIRST-CLASS FURNITURE, AT GREATLY-REDUCED PRICES, AT BRAUNSDORF & METZ'S.

Warerooms Nos. 125 and 127 Rivington-st., between Essex and Norfolk sts. Manufactories, Nos. 122 to 130 Essex-st.

ALL GOODS WARRANTED.

FURNITURE.—NEW DESIGNS AND NEW styles, low prices for first-class warranted goods; original drawings furnished with estimates for furnishing dwellings with hard wood and furniture adapted to the style of house and rooms. Only seasoned and steam-dried lumber used; none other will stand furnace heat. G. L. & J. B. KELTY & CO., No. 481 Broadway, near Amity-st.

N. B.—Curtains and furniture covering store at No. 447 Broadway.

FURNITURE COVERINGS.—NEW [illegible] styles, with specialties, wholesale or retail, at the curtain store of G. L. & J. B. KELTY & CO., No. 447 Broadway, near Howard-st.

Furniture store No. 481 Broadway, near Amity-st.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—ON SUNDAY IN EITHER AMITY-ST., 6th-st., Greenwich or 7th avs., a black morocco MONEY POUCH or WALLET, containing [illegible]; a liberal reward will be paid by the owner. Mrs. QUINN, No. [illegible] Sullivan-st.

DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS

AT MACY'S.

LACES,

EMBROIDERIES,

OUR FALL IMPORTATION OF

RIBBONS

ARE MAGNIFICENT

IN QUALITY,

AND THE SHADES

ARE CHARMING.

FRENCH FLOWERS,

FEATHERS,

NECKTIES AND BOWS,

STRAW GOODS,

FALL HATS,

SILKS AND SATINS,

WHITE GOODS,

LACE CURTAINS,

THEATRICAL GOODS,

BALLET HOSIERY, &c.,

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,

FANCY GOODS,

FRENCH CLOCKS,

LINEN CAM. HDKFS.,

CORSETS,

HOSIERY AND GLOVES,

SMALL WARES,

PERFUMERY,

SOAPS,

TRIMMINGS,

BUTTONS AND FRINGES,

COTTON, ALPACA AND

SILK UMBRELLAS,

AMERICAN CLOCKS,

CARVED GOODS,

PLATED WARE,

BEST QUALITY,

DOLLS,

DOLL GOODS,

BASKETS,

KID GLOVES,

UNDERWEAR,

BIRD CAGES,

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AT POPULAR PRICES.

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AT IMMENSE REDUCTIONS.

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GARMENTS CLEANED WHOLE.

Note that these are our ONLY OFFICES.

MRS. R. MEIN,

No. 673 BROADWAY, corner of 13TH-ST.

Will open on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 28th and 29th of October,

An elegant assortment of

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S WINTER HATS.

ALSO,

A handsome assortment of choice

FEATHERS AND FLOWERS.

MME. GALOUPEAU,

(Late Mathilde & Co.,)

No. 6 Brevoort-place, (10th-st., near Broadway,) Will open her latest importation of Paris millinery for the Winter season on THURSDAY, 28th inst. No cards.

TOYS—RETAIL AT STAVELEY'S, NO. 879 Broadway, near 18th-st. A fine assortment of Toys.

PROPOSALS.

SUPPLIES FOR THE U. S. NAVY.

OFFICE OF PURCHASING AND DISBURSING PAYMASTER U. S. NAVY, NO. 29 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 25, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS, to be indorsed on the envelopes "*Bids for Supplies Advertised*," will be received at this office until 1 o'clock P. M. the [illegible] proximo, for the following supplies of the best quality, and delivered *free of expense*, at the Navy Yard, New-York, viz.:

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J. C. ELDREDGE, Paymaster United States Navy.

FORT HAMILTON, NEW-YORK HARBOR, Oct. 26, 1869.

PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE, WITH copy of this advertisement attached, will be received by the undersigned, until 11 o'clock A. M., Nov. 29, 1869, for supplying

FRESH BEEF

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The said beef must be fresh, of a good marketable quality, in equal proportions of fore and hind quarters, (neck, shank and kidney tallow to be excluded,) and to be delivered at the post free of cost, in such quantities as may be from time to time required by and on such days as the commanding officers shall designate, not exceeding four times a week.

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Separate proposals in duplicate will also be received by the undersigned up to the same hour and date above mentioned for supplying commissioned officers and their families at this post, or supplied therefrom with such choice, fresh beef as they may from time to time require, such as sirloins and porterhouse steak, standing ribs or ribs roast.

These contracts to be in force six months, or such less time as the Commissary-General may direct, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Commanding General of the Department of the East.

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NEW-YORK, Oct. 27, 1869.

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THE YALE NAVY.

Why Yale is in the [illegible]—[illegible] Boating [illegible]—Yale Preparations for the Next [illegible] with Harvard—The Fall Races.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NEW-HAVEN, Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1869.

The Yale Navy—its history, its condition, its record of triumphs and defeats—surely this is a twice-told tale, and one that has not grown [illegible] with the telling of late years. And yet this ancient and venerable theme has, within a few weeks, become [illegible] to new variations of its liveliness and [illegible] a character that all the [illegible], patrons, [illegible] and well-wishers of Yale will gladly give ear to them. The boating record of Yale is familiar to all, and is annually rehearsed by [illegible] of Worcester correspondents, on or about the 26th of July. Four successive defeats are not preeminently calculated to inspire enthusiasm in the breasts of the vanquished, and the mortifying result of last Summer's intercollegiate contest was especially discouraging to the young Yalensian athletes. It is far from my intention to discuss the cause of that defeat. The question is involved in mystery. Each one has long ago offered an original solution, entirely satisfactory to himself and unsatisfactory to every one else. But the stubborn fact of defeat remained, and it is not to be denied that an ominous despondency followed close upon its heels.

THE NEW COMMODORE'S INFLUENCE.

During the Summer and early Autumn the boating interest seemed to have been relinquished at Yale, by a tacit and general understanding. But soon after the election of Mr. DAVID McCOY BONE, of Illinois, as Commodore—a young man of decided ability, understanding the duties of his new office, commanding the respect of his associates, and, above all, possessing a hopeful spirit in regard to the future, and a persistent pluck which may yet be the means of wresting from Harvard her accustomed trophies—has wrought a great change. Lethargy has given place to animation. All the College is infected with a nautical mania, and crews from all classes, of all sizes, and at all hours, have been taking daily exercise on the bay and rivers, in spite of the nipping frost, and to the exclusion of the indoor pursuits and recreations usually indulged in at this period, such as optional demonstrations, very eclectic courses of reading, political machinations, or the less intricate diversions of euchre and billiards.

YALE'S RESOLVE—ENTHUSIASM OF THE STUDENTS.

The sum and substance of the matter is, that Yale has resolved to redeem her reputation; and to this end will omit no means that may conduce to an efficient working force, and a salutary condition of public opinion on the subject. Drawing inspiration from the advice and example of the Commodore and his seconds, a very remarkable number of boating men have entered the lists for the Fall races, and have adopted regular courses of training with an assiduity which cannot but develop unwonted muscle and skill before the Summer of 1870, and which is in itself a presage of victory. At no time in the boating annals of Yale, even during the palmy days of WILBUR BACON and his contemporaries, has there been so much aquatic excitement and emulation. There are not boats enough in the city to contain those who desire to row. The students subscribe money with unusual alacrity. The days of sloth and carelessness seem to have ended. The names of the six who will row against Harvard next year it is, of course, impossible to guess. It will readily be seen, however, that since only one of last year's crew, which was an uncommonly fine one, has left College, there is certainly no lack of material. There yet remain BONE, LEE, DREW, COOGLEY, TERRY, all members of the '69 crew, together with others scarcely less available. This fact, coupled with the present vigor and zeal, points to a brighter future for the Blue.

CONDITION OF THE NAVY.

The condition of the Navy, in respect to its members, its constitution, its property and its finances, is very satisfactory at present. All of the collegians, instead of only a part, now make up the organization. The money, consequently, flows more freely. The old club system has been succeeded by the class system, with a Captain and crew for each class. The boathouse is in good order, and contains fifteen serviceable boats—four shells, three gigs, two barges, two double sculls and four single sculls. We can indicate the spirit which pervades the College in no clearer manner than by stating the fact that all of these fifteen boats were entered for the Fall races, which took place to-day. When a Yaleman recalls the similar contests of former years, with their two, three and four opposing crews, the inference will be plain.

THE FALL RACES.

The races took place on Lake Saltonstall, a beautiful sheet of water, about two miles east of this city. The sinuous and shallow harbor has hitherto been the scene of these semi-annual contests, and the selection of the former place, abounding with every facility for the exercise, and with natural beauty, is due to the Commodore, and is heartily approved by all. The Shore Line Railroad cuts through the environing cliffs and stretches across the lake. A special train of thirteen cars, filled to overflowing, left the depot at 2:30, and soon conveyed its passengers to their destination. The scene at the lake was brilliant and animated, and the greatest good humor existed, although the wind was very keen, and the commencement of operations somewhat retarded. A large number of ladies attended, and a military band enhanced the enjoyment of the occasion. Finally the crews were got together, and five races were rapidly disposed of.

The first race was for barges. Two boats were entered, one by the Academical Freshmen, and the other by the Scientific Freshmen. The latter won in 15:16¾; distance, two miles; prize, six silver oars. The second race was for shells. There were four entries, by the Scientific and the Academic Classes of '70, '71 and '72. '72 won in 22:37; distance, three miles; prize, six silver goblets and the champion flag. The third race for gigs was entered by '70, '71 and '72, and was won by '72; time, 22:40; distance, three miles; prize, six gold oars. The fourth race, for double sculls, was won by the BETTS brothers in [illegible]; distance, two miles. Four entered for the single scull race for two miles; it was won by J. W. GRISWOLD in 16:30; prize, silver cup and championship of the University.

The prizes are very handsome, and will doubtless be cherished by the successful competitor as heirlooms to which great interest and value are attached. The time made was certainly not remarkable, but considering the inclemency of the weather was quite creditable. And so endeth the Fall regatta. EPSILON.

THE TURF.

The Newmarket Races—Third Day of the Houghton Meeting—Trotting at Memphis and Elsewhere.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—At the third day's racing to-day over the Newmarket Course, the All-aged Stakes—100 sovereigns each, with forfeits to be divided between the first and second horses, two-year-old colts to carry 118 pounds; 3 years, 128 pounds; 4 years, 130 pounds; 5 years and upward, 132 pounds; mares and geldings allowed three pounds—was won by Sir J. HAWLEY'S br. c. Restoration, by Beadsman, out of Madame Eglentine, beating Mr. W. GRAHAM'S ch. f. Formosa, by Buccaneer, out of Eller, second, and Mr. W. S. CRAWFURD'S b. f. Heather Bell, by Stockwell, out of Tight-fit. The betting stood five to two against Restoration, seven to four against Formosa, and seven to four against Heather Bell. Only the three named ran.

The Sussex Stakes of 25 sovereigns each for two-year olds, colts 122 pounds, fillies 119 pounds, with penalties and allowances, was won by Lord VIVIAN'S blk. c. Burgundy, by Claret, out of Just-in-Time, beating Mr. RAY'S br. c. Green Riband, (late Rawcliffe Head,) by Knight of St. Patrick, out of Beechnut, second, and Mr. DIGBY'S b. c. Scarboro, (late Lumley,) by Lambton, out of Cordelia. The betting before the race was three to one against Burgundy, eleven to eight against Green Riband, and three to one against Scarboro. Four ran.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 27.—The adjourned races on the Blood Horse Course took place to-day. The first race, the Association Purse, ($500,) three-mile heats, was won by Crossland in two heats. The following was the summary:

Crossland	1	1
Cory Atherton	2	2
Dick Jackson	3	3

Time—[illegible].

The second race, for the Consolation Purse, ($[illegible],) mile heats, for beaten horses, was won by Victory in three heats. The following was the summary:

Victory	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sumner g. f., by Brown Dick	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Morgan Scout	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Surrey	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grand Duchess	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Loser	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Time—1:49½, 1:51, 1:52½.

The races will be continued to-morrow.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 27.—The trotting match at the Fair Grounds to-day, for a purse of $500, mile heats, three in five, was won by Morrissey in three straight heats, beating Frank and Tuckey in the order named. Time—2:40½, 2:40 and 2:38.

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—To-day was the first day of the Fall meeting of the Rensselaer Park Association. The first race was for horses that never beat three minutes; $600 to first horse; $300 to second, and $200 to third. The race was won by Soubrette, in three straight heats, in 2:36, 2:37, 2:36¼.

The second race was for horses that never beat 2:35. It was won by Prince in 2:32, 2:30½, 2:33¼.

Americans in Paris.

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List of Americans registered at the banking office of Messrs. J. W. TUCKER & Co., Nos. 3 and 5 Rue Scribe, Paris, for the week ending Oct. 15, 1869: New-York—Mrs. J. P. Phoenix, Miss Warren, S. Whitney Phoenix, Mrs. James D. Smith, Miss Henderson, Mrs. Musgrave, Mrs. Joseph B. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hurlbut, J. P. Kernochan, Mr. and Mrs. Lot C. Clark, Wm. H. Hurlbut, Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. Smith, James Harriman and family, Mrs. S. I. Dannal, Miss I. Dannal, Miss Jones, Dr. and Mrs. George Brown, G. Bruce Brown, D. B. St. John, Mrs. D. B. St. John, Miss R. M. St. John. Brooklyn, N. Y.—Charles L. Silver. Philadelphia—M. Ivon Miller, Miss Huyl. Boston—Robert C. Fuller, George P. Fowle. Washington City—S. Gridley Hyde, Miss Fannie Hyde. Bethlehem, Penn.—Robert J. Nevin. Lancaster, Penn.—Miss Blanche Nevin. Springfield, Ohio—Mrs. S. V. Clark. Wilmington, N. C.—N. Salas Martin. United States of America—Mr. M. F. and Mrs. Merritt, Miss Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Beebe.

Reception to General Thomas in Chicago.

From the Chicago Tribune, Oct. 25.

Major-General GEORGE H. THOMAS was given a very handsome reception last evening by a number of the officers of his old staff and command. So far as the General was concerned, the matter was a complete surprise. The old hero was on his way home from the East, and stopped while *en route* at the Tremont House. His arrival was soon noised abroad, and a number of his old companions in arms determined to give the General some sort of a welcome. Accordingly, a very fine supper was prepared at the Tremont House, and the tables spread in the ladies' parlor of that hotel. Here were assembled General SHERIDAN and staff, and a large number of other military officers. The honor of presiding at the table was conferred upon General SHERIDAN. The General made a neat little opening speech, in which General THOMAS' services were alluded to, which was received with applause. General THOMAS responded in his customary brief, but still very feeling manner. After this speeches were made by General McCLURG, Colonel LOOMIS, General McARTHUR, Colonel WATERMAN, General DUCAT, and General PARKHURST, of Coldwater, Mich. A letter was also read from Governor PALMER, regretting that he could not be present. The whole affair was a most pleasant one to all who participated. It was gotten up without any publicity, and was designed to be of a private nature.

STRIKE OF THE TELEGRAPHERS.

Continuation of the Franklin Operators' Strike—Organization of the Strikers—Their Position.

The operators of the Franklin Telegraph Company, who instituted a strike on Tuesday for an advance of twenty-five per cent. on their salaries, held a meeting yesterday morning at No. 11 Broad-street, twenty-one operators being present, and elected officers for their organization. Mr. C. H. MOLL was chosen President, JESSE MILLS Secretary, and H. W. POPE Treasurer. Communications were received from the Franklin operators in Boston, and from many of the operators of the Western Union and other telegraph companies, expressing sympathy with the strikers in their movement, and offering material aid if desired. The following was adopted as a reply to the card of Mr. SMITH, published in several newspapers yesterday:

"As the card of Mr. JAMES G. SMITH, Superintendent of the Franklin Telegraph Company, published in some of the morning papers, contains some incorrect statements in relation to the strike of the operators in that office on the 26th instant, in justice to ourselves we wish to make public a few facts in relation thereto. The statement that the strike was instigated or encouraged by rival telegraph companies is utterly without foundation. The Franklin Company, some three years since, reduced the tariff upon their lines, and shortly afterward also reduced the salaries of their employes to a point from twenty to twenty-five per cent. below those paid by other companies, which was acceded to at the time, in order to give the company a fair start. A few months since, the business of the Company having become very large, the operators requested an advance of salaries to the standard rates paid by other companies. This advance was promised to the operators at that time, but, so far from making any efforts to do this, Mr. SMITH has, on the contrary, endeavored to induce the other companies to reduce the pay of their men to the same rate as his own. Mr. SMITH was aware of the contemplated movement as early as Saturday morning. All we ask is to be paid the same price for the same work as our *confreres* in the employ of other companies in this city, and in this demand we shall be sustained by the profession throughout the United States.

C. G. DE MOLL, President.
JESSE B. MILLS, Secretary.
H. W. POPE, Treasurer.

R. C. Edwards, T. J. Hewlett, Charles D. Stanford, Thomas Curry, Committee.

A Committee was appointed to wait on Mr. SMITH and learn his sentiments, and to inform him that no deduction would be made from the demand of twenty-five per cent. advance in the salaries.

Another meeting was held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, when Messrs. WILKIE and CAPRON were admitted to membership. A telegram was received announcing that the Baltimore operators of the Franklin line had also struck. Mr. J. G. SMITH, Superintendent of the line, appeared at the meeting and offered to compromise the matter by granting an advance of salary to such of the men as he might deem worth it. He proposed to draw up a schedule of future wages at the advanced rate for the New-York operators, and to reinstate the operators in Baltimore and Boston, without any increase of salary. Until this should be accomplished, he desired that some of the men would return to work, and keep the business of the Company going. The matter was considered and discussed at length by the members of the strike, who finally resolved to reject his proposition *in toto*. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a Committee of one be appointed to wait upon J. G. SMITH, and inform him that his proposition cannot be accepted, and that our ultimatum is twenty-five per cent. advance upon all salaries as now paid, and the reinstatement of all men who are now or may be in this movement.

The meeting then adjourned until to-day at 9:30 A. M., with a vote of thanks to the New-York Press for its hearty cooperation in the movement, to which Mr. JOHN HASSON replied in a brief speech.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 27.—A meeting of the telegraph operators of the Western Union, Bankers' and Brokers' and Franklin lines was held here to-night, and resolutions were adopted approving the strike of the Franklin operators in New-York and Boston.

Commissioners of Emigration.

The Commissioners of Emigration met last night in University-place, near Twelfth-street, Mr. VERPLANCK in the chair, and present Messrs. Winston, [illegible], Bissinger, Smith, McElroy and O'Gorman, Commissioners. The Superintendent stated that the agent of the Commissioners at Buffalo, having reported certain com[illegible] [illegible] the sale of tickets by the way of Buffalo. The following financial report of the Commissioners was presented:

Number of emigrants arrived to Oct. 20, 1869		[illegible]
Number of emigrants arrived since to Oct. 27		4,[illegible]
Total		227,147
To same date in 1868		186,974
Difference		40,173
Balance in bank Jan. 11, 1869		$[illegible],641 31
Aggregate receipts to Oct. 20	$[illegible] 48	
Received since to Oct. 27, for commutation of passengers	14,[illegible]	751,176 76
Total		$749,318 18
Disbursements as per previous account to Oct. 20, 1869		437,894 00
Balance		$311,324 18

The Fair of the American Institute.

WM. B. RICHARDSON, a prominent member of the National Association of Silk Manufacturers, will deliver an address on the silk interest in this country, at 8 o'clock this evening, at the Empire Rink. The newsboys visit the Fair *en masse,* at 10 o'clock this morning. The children of the Aid Society's schools had a good time at the Fair yesterday. We hope the newsboys will do likewise to-day, while at the exhibition.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

New-York.

The Dartmouth Alumni hold their usual festival this year at DELMONICO'S, in Fifth-avenue, on Thursday, Dec. 2, at 5:30 P. M. The following gentlemen compose the Committee of Arrangements: Hon. David E. Wheeler, Hon. Cyrus P. Smith, Ex-Mayor of Brooklyn, Horatio W. Twombly, Walter Gibson, General Charles A. Carleton, J. Wyman Jones, Edwin T. Rice, Professor Alpheus B. Crosby, Hon. Daniel G. Rollins, Jr., Edward Tuck.

The statement in the newspapers that Rev. Dr. A. H. VINTON's reason for leaving New-York and accepting Emmanuel Church, Boston, was that a proposal made by him to remove St. Mark's Church up town, "did not meet with sufficient support, and that he therefore reconsidered the call to Boston and decided to accept it," is incorrect. It appears that no proposal of the sort was ever made by Dr. VINTON, or ever brought before the vestry from any quarter, and that his decision to leave his present parish was made irrespective of any such reason. The salary of Emmanuel Church is not a "considerable advance" upon the one he now receives, but is even less.

The corner stone of the Roosevelt Hospital will be laid with suitable ceremonies, on the hospital grounds, on Fifty-ninth-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, on Friday the 29th inst., at 11 o'clock A. M. At the particular request of the trustees Rev. JOSEPH T. DURYEA, D. D., has consented to make an address.

The Sanitary Committee of the Board of Health yesterday reported that no slaughter houses should be erected in the vicinity of business thoroughfares, and recommended that no more permits to erect slaughter houses east of Eleventh-avenue and west of First-avenue, nor within 500 feet of any avenue, be issued. Permits were granted to TOBY & BOOTH, West Thirty-ninth-street, SMITH ELY, and the Butchers' Hide and Fat Melting Association.

The unveiling of the Vanderbilt bronze at the Hudson River Railroad Depot, St. John's Park, takes place Nov. 11, at 1 P. M. The nature of the ceremonies is not yet announced, but they will doubtless be in keeping with the occasion. Governor HOFFMAN, Hon. HOMER NELSON, Secretary of State and Mayor HALL will preside. Some of our most distinguished citizens are on the honorary Committee.

WILLIAM M. CHALLIS has brought suit against the Central Pacific Railroad Company for 2,000 shares of the stock of the Company, which he claims were assigned to him. On the part of the Company it is alleged that the shares in question passed from the hands of the plaintiff. The two thousand shares constitute one-fifth of the whole stock, which is estimated to be worth $20,000,000. The case came up yesterday, but went over in consequence of the absence of a material witness.

The Washington Heights Library, near One Hundredth and Sixtieth-street, on Tenth-avenue, is now in the second year of its existence, and is appreciated in that section of the City. To-night M. DU CHAILLU lectures for its benefit in the Presbyterian Church on the corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth-st.

The trustees of the Cooper Union finding that the free school of telegraphy for young women, established by them last year, is entirely successful, have decided to open a similar school for young men between the ages of seventeen and thirty-two years, beginning on the 1st of November next. Candidates can ascertain the requirements for admission on application to the office of the Cooper Union from 9 A. M. till 4 P. M.

Another report was received by the Fire Commissioners, yesterday, from the Committee on Combustibles, including a list of persons upon whose premises kerosene oil has been found below the standard test required by law.

The Plymouth Baptist Church Fair commenced yesterday. Twelve tables were set in the chapel, presided over by young ladies of the congregation. The proceeds of the sales will be devoted to furnishing and refitting the church.

The Commissioners of Emigration yesterday discussed at some length an affray which occurred between one of their servants and one of the employes of the Erie Railroad. Mr. O'GORMAN offered a resolution, which was adopted, to the effect that no person be allowed in Castle Garden unless he has a recognized right of admission.

The Western Union Telegraph Company have opened an office at the "Grand Hotel," corner of Broadway and Thirty-first-street.

The annual inspection of the Twenty-second Regiment took place at the Armory in Fourteenth-street last evening. Lieutenant-Colonel PORTER was in command. Company B, Captain CULLEN commanding, made a good appearance, reporting eighty men present and none absent. The company was divided into two sections, the second being in charge of Lieutenant LAIRD.

The formal opening of the new Station House of the Twenty-ninth Precinct, Nos. 137 and 139 West Thirtieth-street, took place last evening, and was attended by Commissioners BOSWORTH, MANIERRE and SMITH, Superintendent KENNEDY, a large number of the Captains and distinguished citizens and a number of ladies.

Yesterday afternoon WM. J. FITZPATRICK, of No. 30 Columbia-street, and MICHAEL DALTON, of No. 139 Goerck-street, quarreled in Houston-street, near Union Market, in consequence of an accidental collision of their trucks, and FITZPATRICK beat DALTON with a stick of wood until he was insensible.

MOSES K. MOODY has recovered a judgment in the Supreme Court, Circuit, against Messrs. FISK and BELDEN for $4,147 36. The suit grew out of a transaction in Erie, which took place in 1865.

The number of emigrants arrived at this port up to Oct. 27, the present year, is 227,147; or 40,173 more than last year at the same time.

WM. STETSON was found concealed in the third floor of No. 72 Murray-street, yesterday morning, with $215 worth of shoes and skins, which had been removed by him from the fourth floor, occupied by JOHN DE WITT. The prisoner was committed.

The Fire Commissioners yesterday voted $2,000 to the Mutual Aid Society of the Fire Department.

Sanitary Superintendent Dr. E. HARRIS yesterday reported to the Board of Health another list of places where dangerous kerosene is sold.

At the meeting of the Board of Excise yesterday, the charge against DANIEL O'BRIEN, of Classon-avenue, Brooklyn, was dismissed. The case of J. W. SPOFFORD, of No. 165 West Houston, was adjourned.

WM. E. DODGE, Jr., yesterday caused the arrest of EDWARD DUSENBURY, charged with swindling merchants by collecting subscriptions for "The National Home for Widows and Orphans in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street" and "The Home for Orphans" in the same street, institutions that do not exist.

MARTIN ALLEN, HENRY JACKSON and SAMUEL MACK have been arrested, charged with robbing JOHN SPENCER, of Hartford, of $830 at the disreputable house No. 14 Howard-street. ALLEN was held to bail in $10,000, and the others in $5,000.

NICHOLAS DUGAN, of No. 8 State-street, a carman, has been arrested, charged with stealing twelve bales of cotton which he was employed by HUGO FUNKE, No. 26 William-street, to deliver at the Bremen steamer dock in Hoboken on Tuesday. PHILIP and PATRICK CATLIN were arrested for receiving the property.

RICHARD L. MELLON has been arrested, charged with stealing diamonds and jewelry worth $1,037 from LIDA WOOD, No. 31 West Fourth-street.

JOHN LANE (colored) has been taken to Rahway, N. J., on a charge of entering several houses there and stealing property worth $700.

ELIAS SCHWANTZ and JOHN TILLINGHAST were arrested yesterday, charged with smuggling $10,000 worth of human hair.

New-Jersey.

Some excitement has been caused at Closter by the discovery of the skeletons of four human beings, supposed to have been murdered forty years ago. They were buried near the surface of the ground, and were unearthed by some laborers who were digging a cellar.

A couple, whose aggregate age is 151 years, were married in Closter on Tuesday. The bridegroom is 76, and has been married three times; the bride is 75, and has now her fifth husband.

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LONDON, Oct. 27—11 A. M.—Consols [illegible] for both money and the account. [illegible] Bonds, [illegible]; Erie Railway shares, [illegible]; Illinois, [illegible]; Atlantic and Great Western, [illegible].

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 27—11 A. M.—Cotton opens steady, but quite active; Middling Uplands, 12¼d.; Middling Orleans, 12½d.; the sales of the day are estimated at 12,000 bales.

BREADSTUFFS—Red Winter Wheat, [illegible].

LONDON, Oct. 27—Spirits Petroleum [illegible].

LONDON, Oct. 27—4:30 P. M.—Consols closed at 93⅛ for both money and the account. American Securities closed quiet and steady. Five-twenties, 1862, 83; 1865, old, 81½; 1867, 82¼; Ten-forties, 76½; Erie Railway Shares, 21¼; Illinois, 98; Atlantic and Great Western, 24½.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 27—4:30 P. M.—COTTON—The following are the closing quotations: Middling Uplands, 11⅞d.@12d.; Middling Orleans, 12¼d.@12⅜d. The sales of the day have been 12,000 bales, of which 3,000 were taken for export and speculation.

NAVAL STORES—The market is dull.

LONDON, Oct. 27—Tallow, 47s. 3d.@47s. 6d. ₩ cwt.

HAVRE, Oct. 27—COTTON—The market opens quiet, both on the spot and afloat.

FRANKFORT, Oct. 27—United States Five-twenty Bonds open active and firm at 88 for the issue of 1862.

PARIS, Oct. 27—The Bourse closed firm. Rentes, 71f. 55c.

ANTWERP, Oct. 27—Petroleum closed firm at 60½f. for Standard White.

HAVRE, Oct. 27—Evening.—Cotton closed quiet for both on the spot and afloat.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—EXCHANGE steady and firm at par buying, 1-10 premium selling. FLOUR dull at $4 [illegible] for Spring Extras. WHEAT easier and lower; sales of No. 1 at 99c.@$1; No. 2, 94¼c.@95¼c.; in the afternoon irregular; sales of No. 2 at 95c., buyer October and seller November. CORN quiet and firmer; sales of No. 1 at 87c.; No. 2, 85¼c.@86c.; in the afternoon dull; No. 2, 84½c.@85c., seller October, 85¼c. buyer October. OATS quiet at 39½c.@40¼c. for No. 2. RYE declining and less active; No. 2, 70c. BARLEY declining and more active; sellers at 95c. cash. HIGHWINES steady and less active at $1 12. PORK steady at $30 for New; $31@$31 75 for Old, cash; $30 [illegible] seller January. LARD quiet at 16½c.@16¾c. Green SHOULDERS, 10½c.@12½c. CATTLE dull at $3 75@$6 75 for common to good Cows; $7 25 for choice shipping. Live HOGS firm and steady at $8 [illegible]@$9 15 for common; $10 10 for extra choice. FREIGHTS easier. RECEIPTS—7,800 bbls. Flour, 81,000 bushels Wheat, 89,000 bushels Corn, 69,000 bushels Oats, 7,000 bushels Rye, 2,400 bushels Barley, 10,000 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—2,000 bbls. Flour, 13,000 bushels Wheat, 10,000 bushels Corn, 62,000 bushels Oats, 1,000 bushels Rye, 6,500 bushels Barley, 2,200 Hogs.

BUFFALO, Oct. 27.—RECEIPTS—Wheat, 116,000 bushels; Corn, 30,000 bushels; Oats, 80,000 bushels; Barley, 14,000 bushels; Flour, 17,000 bbls. SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 90,000 bushels; Corn, 3,000 bushels; Oats, 15,000 bushels; Barley, 6,000 bushels. FREIGHTS—To New-York, 22¼c.@22c. on Wheat, 19c.@19¼c. on Corn, and 13c.@12¼c. on Oats. FLOUR dull; sale of 50 bbls. No. 1 City Ground Spring at $5 75. WHEAT lower and more active; sales 10,000 bushels Sheboygan and Port Washington Club at $1 06; 20,000 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee Club at $1 10; 6,000 bushels Racine Club No. 1 at $1 15. CORN quiet; sales at 78c.@78c., in lots, according to quality and quantity; 3,000 bushels Yellow Western at 78c. OATS—Small parcels of Western sold at 47c.@47½c., and Ohio at 50c.; generally held at 48c.@49c. for No. 2 Western. RYE nominal at 88c.@93c. for New; sales of 1,000 bushels Old at 93c. BARLEY easier; sales, 12,000 bushels Canada at $1 12½@$1 14. PEAS nominal at $1 10@$1 15. HIGHWINES nominally $1 15. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,600 head. The market was flat and stagnant, and there was no demand; prices were nominally ½c. lower. HOGS—Receipts moderate. The market was dull and heavy at former quotations.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27.—TOBACCO unchanged. COTTON quiet at 24c.@24¼c. FLOUR dull and unchanged. WHEAT advancing; Nebraska Spring, 92c.; No. 2 Red Fall, $1 07@$1 12½; No. 1 Red Fall, $1 15@$1 18; Choice, $1 25@$1 35; Low Choice to Choice White, $1 30@$1 45. CORN unchanged. OATS firmer at 48c.@ 48c., in bulk; 46c.@51c., in sacks. BARLEY heavy at $1 12@$1 25 for Prime to Choice Minnesota Spring. RYE dull at 80c.@70c. WHISKY steady at $1 15. PORK, $29 75 for old. Dry-salted MEATS—Packed Clear Sides, 18c. BACON dull; Loose Shoulders, 18c.; Packed, 16½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 19½c.; Clear Sides, 19½c. LARD dull; Old Steam, 18c. CATTLE $3 30@$6 [illegible]. Live HOGS dull at $9 [illegible]. RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls.; Wheat, 12,000 bushels; Corn, 7,000 bushels; Oats, 10,000 bushels; Barley, 16,000 bushels; Rye, 1,400 bushels.

OSWEGO, Oct. 27.—FLOUR steady and unchanged; sales 2,300 bbls. at $6 50 for No. 1 Spring, $6 75 for Amber Winter, $7 25 for White, $7 75 for Double Extra. WHEAT quiet, and no sales. CORN quiet; small sales of No. 2 at 85c. BARLEY lower for Common and steady for Prime; sales last night 1,600 bushels Upper Lake Canada at $1 16; 4,000 bushels Selected Bay Quinte at $1 22. CORNMEAL, $1 30 ₩ cwt. MILLFEED steady; shorts, $30; Shipstuffs, $32; Middlings, $32@$35 ₩ ton. Canal FREIGHTS—Wheat, 20c.; Barley, 16½c., to New-York; Lumber, $3 to the Hudson. Railroad FREIGHTS—Flour to Boston, 80c.; to New-York, 80c.; to Albany, 74c. Lake IMPORTS—16,400 bushels Wheat, 18,000 bushels Corn, 36,000 bushels Barley, 1,140,000 feet Lumber. Canal EXPORTS—64,700 bushels Wheat, 30,000 bushels Corn, 50,000 bushels Barley, 212,000 feet of Lumber.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—COTTON and Quercitron BARK unchanged. FLOUR dull, but steady; Superfine, $5 50@$5 75; Extra, $[illegible]; Northwestern Extra Family, $6 [illegible]; Pennsylvania do., $6 [illegible]@$6 75; Ohio do., $6 25@$7 25; Fancy, $7 50@$8 50. WHEAT dull; Western and Pennsylvania Red, $1 37@$1 38; Delaware do., $1 40. RYE unchanged. CORN dull; Western Yellow, $1 05; Mixed Western unchanged. OATS quiet and firm; Western and Pennsylvania, $1 [illegible]. BARLEY in demand; sales 3,000 bushels Two-rowed New-York, $1 15@$1 25. Four-rowed do., $1 40. PETROLEUM, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS and WHISKY unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27.—COTTON nominally 25c. for Middling. FLOUR dull; demand light; market favors buyers, and is without decided change. WHEAT steady; Maryland Red, $1 35@$1 40; Western, $1 30@$1 35. CORN—White at $1 12@$1 15. OATS, 55c.@56c. RYE dull and unchanged. Mess PORK firm at $33. BACON quiet; rib Sides, 20c.; Clear Rib, 20½c.; Shoulders, 17c. HAMS, 24c.@25c. LARD quiet at 19c.@19½c. WHISKY firm and in fair demand at $1 21@$1 21.

NEW-ORLEANS, Oct. 27.—COTTON closed firm at 25c. for Middling; sales, 3,500 bales; receipts, 3,608 bales; exports—to Havre, 4,129 bales. OATS higher at 65c. HAY dull and lower; Prime, $27. PORK declined; Mess, $32. BACON retailing at 18c. for Shoulders, and 21c. for Clear Rib and Clear Sides. Sugar-cured HAMS held at 28½c. Other articles unchanged. Gold, 130½. Sterling Exchange 141½. New-York Sight Exchange, par@¾ ₩ cent. discount.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 27.—COTTON quiet; Middling, 23c. FLOUR steady; Superfine, $4 50. WHEAT quiet; Red, $1; White, $1 15. CORN, 90c. OATS, 50c. RYE, 80c. TOBACCO firm; sales 54 hhds. at $6 50@$8 10 for Lugs; $14 75 for Leaf. PROVISIONS steady. MESS PORK, $33. BACON—Shoulders, 18c.; Clear Rib, 20¾c.; Clear Sides, 20¾c. LARD, 19c. HOGS, $9 [illegible]. WHISKY $1 12.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 27.—FLOUR unchanged. WHEAT quiet at 99¾c. for No. 1; 95½c. for No. 2. OATS heavy at 40c. for No. 2. CORN steady at 70c. for No. 2. RYE nominal. BARLEY declining; sales at 95c. Grain FREIGHTS firmer at 9c. to Buffalo, 10c. to Oswego. RECEIPTS—6,000 bbls. Flour, 112,000 bushels Wheat, 4,000 bushels Oats, 2,000 bushels Corn. SHIPMENTS—1,000 bbls. Flour, 75,000 bushels Wheat.

TOLEDO, Oct. 27.—FLOUR quiet and steady. WHEAT firmer; Regular White Michigan, $1 17; No. 1 Red, $1 16; No. 2 Red, $1 11. CORN unchanged. OATS steady; No. 1, 48c.; No. 2, 46c. FREIGHTS unchanged. RECEIPTS—4,500 bbls. Flour, 27,000 bushels Wheat, 4,000 bushels Corn. SHIPMENTS—3,000 bbls. Flour, 24,000 bushels Wheat, 7,000 bushels Corn, 3,500 bushels Oats.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 27.—FLOUR dull and unchanged. WHEAT dull at $1 05@$1 12. CORN in good demand at 85c.@87c. BARLEY dull and lower at $1 12. TOBACCO active; it is reported that the late frosts caught considerable in the fields and ruined it. PROVISIONS nominally unchanged. Green MEATS dull at 11¼c.@11¼c. for Shoulders.

ALBANY, Oct. 27.—WHEAT dull; Amber, $1 40@$1 42; White ranges from $1 45 to $1 70, according to quality, the latter for Delhi. RYE dull and nominal. CORN dull; no sales; $1 05@$1 06 was asked for Western Mixed. BARLEY is steady and strong for six-rowed, at prices already quoted. Barley MALT sells slowly at $1 50@$1 60.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 27.—WHEAT dull and advanced 1c.; No. 1 Red, $1 12; No. 2 Red, $1 10@$1 12. CORN dull; No. 1 Mixed held at 85c.@86c.; No. 2, 84c. OATS steady and nominally unchanged. RYE quiet; No. 1 held at 85c.@$1; No. 2, 80c. BARLEY quiet; State, $1 @$1 25; Canada, $1 20@$1 35.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 27.—COTTON, 24¾c.; receipts 1,169 bales; exports 1,289 bales. FLOUR dull and unchanged. CORN—Old, $1; New, 85c. OATS, 67c. PORK, $33. LARD, 19¼c.@19¾c. BACON heavy; Shoulders, 18¼c., Sides, 20¼c.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 27.—Spirits of TURPENTINE are a shade better; sales at 42½c.@43c. RESIN quiet; No. 1, $3 50. Crude TURPENTINE steady at $1 60@$2 75. TAR, $2. There was a better feeling in COTTON; Middling, 24c.@24¼c.

NORFOLK, Oct. 27.—COTTON—Receipts to-day, 1,230 bales; exports coastwise, 1,123 bales; sales, 250 bales; Low Middling, 24¼c.@24½c. The market closed steady.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—FLOUR advancing; sales at $4 37½@$5 25; heavy sales for export. WHEAT weak at $1 50@$1 60 for strictly choice. LEGAL TENDERS, 76½.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 27.—The COTTON market closed active, but prices were easier and irregular; sales, 727 bales; receipts, 1,136 bales; Middling, 24c.@24½c.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 27.—COTTON closed quiet but steady; sales, 400 bales; Middling, 25c.; receipts, 1,854 bales.

MOBILE, Ala., Oct. 27.—COTTON closed firm with better stock offering; sales 1,200 bales; Middling, 24¼c.; receipts, 1,184 bales; exports, 4,326 bales.

DETROIT, Oct. 27.—WHEAT advanced 1c.; No. 1 White, $1 12@$1 12. BARLEY heavy at $2 10 ₩ cental.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 27.—COTTON closed firm; receipts, 2,254 bales; sales, 500 bales; Middling, 25c.

Philadelphia Stock Board.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—Stocks steady. Pennsylvania State Sixes, 107¼; Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, 28¼; Reading Railroad, 48 5-16; Pennsylvania Railroad, 55¼. Gold, 130¼.

Weather Report.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Oct. 27—9 A. M.

Place.	Wind.	Weather.	Ther.
Portland	N.	Clear	[illegible]
Boston	N. W.	Clear	[illegible]
New-York	W.	Clear	[illegible]
Philadelphia	N. W.	Clear	[illegible]
Wilmington	N.	Clear	[illegible]
Washington	N. W.	Clear	[illegible]
Fortress Monroe	N.	Clear	[illegible]
Richmond	N. W.	Clear	[illegible]
Oswego	N.	Clear	[illegible]
Buffalo	S.	Clear	[illegible]
Pittsburg	—	Cloudy	[illegible]
Chicago	S. W.	Cloudy	[illegible]
Mobile	E.	Clear	[illegible]
New-Orleans	E. N. E.	Cloudy	[illegible]
Key West	N.	Cloudy	[illegible]
Havana	—	Cloudy	[illegible]
Charleston	N.	Clear	[illegible]

[Advertisement.]

PERE HYACINTHE, who, one morning lately, awoke to find himself famous, is now among us. Yesterday he walked down Broadway incog. At a certain point he stopped, exclaiming, "Now, by St. Paul!" (he stood by St. Paul's Church,) and then, crossing the street, entered the fine establishment of KNOX, the hatter, No. 212 Broadway. When he came out, a lustrous tile of the latest style adorned his head. Comment is unnecessary.

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Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FROM EUROPE.

America	Oct. 16	Bremen	New-York

FOR EUROPE.

Scotia	Oct. 27	New-York	Liverpool
Hansa	Oct. 28	New-York	Bremen
City of Brussels	Oct. 30	New-York	Liverpool
Denmark	Oct. 30	New-York	Liverpool
Pereire	Oct. 30	New-York	Havre

FOR HAVANA AND ST. DOMINGO.

Eagle	Oct. 28	New-York	Havana
Kah-kee	Oct. 30	New-York	Bermuda
Tybee	Oct. 30	New-York	St. Domingo

Departure of Foreign Mails.

THURSDAY.

Mails for Havana and West Indies, by the *Eagle*, close at the General Post Office at 2 P. M. Mails for Europe, via Southampton and Bremen, by the *Hansa*, close at 12 M. Supplementary mail for paid letters on the pier foot of Third-street, Hoboken, to 1:30 P. M. Mails for Bermuda, by the *Fah Kee*, close at 2 P. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way	5 A. M.; 2 P. M.
North, through via H. R. R. R. and New-York Central	5 A. M.; 4:30, 9 P. M.
North Way, via Harlem R. R., Chatham Four Corners	5 A. M.
East, via New-Haven	5 A. M.; 1:30, 9 P. M.
East, via Newport	4 P. M.
East, New-Haven Way	5 A. M.; 2:30 P. M.
East, Fall River, rail	5 P. M.
South, Through	7 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.
Philadelphia Way	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver	7 A. M.; 6:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. & G. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn., &c.	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.

Passengers Sailed.

OCT. 27—*In steamship Java, for Liverpool*.—G. Batters, G. Batters, Jr., Right Rev. Dr. Sweeney, Mrs. J. B. Harris, A. Guyer, J. B. Leech, J. W. Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson, H. Russell, Mrs. W. F. Cashman, infant and maid, W. F. Cashman, H. Diamond, H. C. Salmon, W. E. Bliss, Mrs. J. A. Brown and maid, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoppin, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lyon, Master Hoppin, Miss Hoppin and maid, Isaac Steinberg, Aaron Erickson, W. F. Livermore, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Nicholls, Miss E. E. Nicholls, Master W. G. Nicholls, G. N. Fairchild, W. E. Dorrance, H. B. Williams, Chas. Amicler, J. W. Pinchot, Right Rev. J. J. Conroy, Rev. P. A. Ludden, G. H. Burnette, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennaway and servant, Miss Gurney and maid, Chas. Gurney, Mrs. Mayer, Lloyd M. Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer, Miss Van Rensselaer, Miss Eleanor Van Rensselaer, L. G. Kellogg, R. T. Slack, Miss A. Abbott, Miss F. Cole, John Smith, George Carter, Mrs. Mercer, James Edwards, Captain R. M. Clark, Charles A. T. Rice, Mrs. M. Bourne and maid, Richard Kennaway, Mrs. Tauton, H. T. Ralph.

OCT. 27—*In steamship Minnesota, for Liverpool*.—Rev. Dr. Damon and lady, Miss E. Rogers, Miss R. Batt, Master M. Worsdell, John Lolland, Chas. G. Johnson, Mr. Campbell, Captain Cooper, Robt. Harris, Saml. G. Arnold, Chas. N. Brown.

Passengers Arrived.

OCT. 27—*In steamship Virginia, from Liverpool*.—Mr. and Mrs. Rendle, Mr. and Mrs. Jourdain, Mr. and Mrs. Cheeseman and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Wheatcroft, Mrs. Hey, Mr. and Mrs. Lecraw and family, Miss Cupper, F. H. Packinson, H. Dart, A. Peterson, C. Norman, M. Doyle, C. Maguire, F. Heinmus, Miss Ironsides, Mrs. Broadhurst, Miss Simms, H. Harwood, Dr. and Mrs. Shaw, Miss Shaw, Mrs. Murdock and son, Mrs. Highton and infant, Mrs. M. Morrison, Mr. Corson, Denis Le Preso, M. Harris, F. Vollman, D. Phenicoce, Mrs. W. Blunt, Osborne McCue, Wm. Lee, F. Van Wrede, Mrs. Gordon, Miss Gordon, Miss Jessie Gordon, Miss Watson, Miss Hay, E. W. Ransom, Isaac Fox, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Clark.

NEWS PACKAGES FOR THE PRESS.

Captains and pursers of vessels arriving at this port are requested to deliver packages addressed to the New-York Associated Press only to parties exhibiting the written authority of J. W. Simonton, General Agent.

News packages for the *Journal of Commerce, Times, Tribune, World, Sun, Express, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, Staats Zeitung* and *New-Yorker Democrat,* should also be delivered only to the same parties.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THE DAY.

Sun rises	6 26	Sun sets	5 02	Moon rises	11 56

HIGH WATER—THE DAY.

Sandy Hook	1 21	Gov. Island	2 10	Hell Gate	3 52

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....WEDNESDAY, Oct. 27.

Cleared.

Steamships United States, Norton, New-Orleans, Fred. Baker; S. P. Phelps, Brown, Philadelphia, J. N. Briggs & Co.; Acushnet, Rector, New-Bedford, Ferguson & Wood.

Barks Pasquale Ajello, (Ital.,) La Nese, Penarth Roads for orders, J. Robinson; Gertrude, Loud, Havana, Stevens & Soule; E. Williams, Hall, Mobile, A. Abbott.

Brigs Christine, (Den.,) Hansen, Oporto, Funch, Edye & Co.; Toronto, (Br.,) Hill, Cienfuegos, Tucker & Lightbourne; Victoria Amelia, (Br.,) Terrio, St. Johns, N. F., Hatton, Watson & Co.

Schooners C. A. Farnsworth, (Br.,) Sawyer, Barbadoes via Satilla, Ga., Mary & Louisa, Parnell, St. Marys, Ga., S. Smith & Co.; Ann Dole, Halsey, New-Bern, N. C., Jonas Smith & Co.; Mary Mankin, Tyler, Baltimore, Van Brunt & Slaght; W. F. Genner, Egbert, Richmond, Van Brunt & Slaght; Mary Gray, Uncasville, E. Ripley; W. R. Genn, Small, Barnstable, Baker & Dayton.

Arrived.

Steamship Sherman, Quick, New-Orleans Oct. 20, with mdse. and passengers to Frederic Baker. Oct. 24, lat. 30 30 N., lon. 79 25 W., passed bark Harry Martin, bound N.

Steamship Allemannia, (N. G.,) Winzen, Hamburg Oct. 13, via Havre 16th, with mdse. and passengers to Kunhardt & Co.

Steamship Albemarle, Roberts, Norfolk, with mdse. and passengers to Old Dominion Steamship Co.

Steamship Fanita, Brooks, Philadelphia, with mdse. to J. Lorillard.

Brig Valiant, (of Arichat,) Gamion, Cow Bay 12 ds., with 260 tons coal to Block House Mining Co.—vessel to Hatton, Watson & Co.

Schr. Bochon, Hagerman, Baracoa 14 ds., with fruit to Dollner, Potter & Co. Had light winds to Hatteras, since strong northerly gales.

Schr. J. P. Auger, Aldrich, Para 30 ds., with rubber and hides to C. Lodeman & Co.

Schr. Ben Bolt, (Br.,) Drake, St. George, N. B., 12 ds., with lumber to Jed Frye & Co.

Schr. White Swan, Collins, Jacksonville 8 ds., with lumber to F. Nelson.

Schr. Ring Dove, Parritt, Jacksonville 8 ds., with lumber to Jed Frye & Co.

Schr. Ira Laffrenier, Hotman, Boston, for Philadelphia.

Schr. Trade Wind, Babb, Rockland, with lime to Candee & Pressey.

Schr. Henry Remsen, Allen, New-Haven, for Elizabethport.

Schr. Clara Jane, McGillum, Windsor, N. S., with plaster to Jed Frye & Co.

Schr. Chas. Rogers, Roberts, Cape Sable, with fish to S. B. Miller.

Schr. Branch, Mann, Northport.

Schr. Mary J. Meade, Thrasher, Taunton.

Schr. Julia Ann, Wells, New-Haven.

Schr. S. P. Godwin, Waterbury, Stamford.

Schr. B. D. Pitts, Vail, River Head.

Schr. Maria, Long, Port Jefferson.

Schr. Flora, Davis, Bridgeport.

Schr. Wm. Perry, Davis, New-Haven.

Schr. J. J. Ward, Edmunds, Alexandria.

Schr. Charles Woolsey, Parker, Georgetown, D. C.

Canal boat W. A. Travis, Facto, Montreal 30 ds., with lumber to R. W. Cameron.

WIND—At sunset, fresh, N. W., clear.

Sailed.

Steamships Java and Minnesota, for Liverpool; United States, for New-Orleans.

Below.

Ship Abby Ryerson, (of Yarmouth, N. S.,) Dennis, from London Sept. 2, with mdse. to Boyd & Hincken. Spoken Oct. 24, lat. 41 37, lon. 66 30, by pilot boat A. Leggett, No. 4.

Brig Union, 18 ds. from Cow Bay. Spoken Oct. 25, lat. 41 07, lon. 67 30, by pilot boat A. Leggett, No. 4.

By Telegraph.

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—Arr. ship Tyro, from Shields. Also arr. brig Ella Nova, from Hamden; she reports: On the 20th inst., in lat. 42 40, lon. 66, fell in with the British schr. George Ormrod, Captain Fullerton, from Pictou for Dighton with coal, dismasted and leaking badly. All hands taken off and brought to this port.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 27.—Arr. steamship Darien, Liverpool; schrs. Ida Birdsall, New-York; J. A. Parsons, Philadelphia; Henrietta, Baltimore. Sld. steamer Pioneer, Liverpool.

The steamship Darien, of the Charleston and Liverpool direct steamship line, arrived here to-day. She will be followed by the Marmora, the Adalia, and another steamship, the name of which is not given.

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 27.—Arr. steamer Maggie, Maggie, from Wilmington. Sld. steamer Isaac Bell, for New-York.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 27.—Cld. steamers San Jacinto and Huntsville, New-York; brigs J. T. Bowen, Boston; George Gilchrist, Portland; schrs. Welcome R. Beebe, New-York; Nellie C. Hayne, New-York; Nevada, Philadelphia; Eliza Moore, Baltimore.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—Arr. Golden Sea, from Sydney. Sld. ships Panhotas, for Liverpool; Caroline, for Cork. Arr. at Portland, Oregon, ship O. Hanson, from Liverpool. Sld. Adeline Ellwood, for Liverpool, with wheat.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 27.—Arr. steamer Fairbanks, New-York.

Miscellaneous.

Steamship Virginia, (Br.,) Thomas, (not Forbes,) from Liverpool, which arrived 26th, reports: Experienced strong westerly winds for the first 5 ds., since then easterly winds prevailed.

Spoken, &c.

Hattie E. Dodge—Schr., from Demerara for New-York, Oct. 15, lat. 24, lon. 54 40.

Eliza McLaughlin—Br. ship, from Shields for Providence, Oct. 24, lat. 41 32, lon. 61 6.

Wm. Bowen—Schr., (of Arichat,) from Baltimore for Sydney, N. S., Oct. 25, lat. 41, lon. 67 30.

Foreign Ports.

At Barnesa, Oct. 15, schr. Lord of the Isles, to sail in 6 ds.

BARGAINS IN TEAS, COFFEES, FLOUR, MACKEREL, MOLASSES, SYRUPS, BUTTER. And all kinds of Groceries and Provisions. ONE PRICE—CASH ONLY. THOMAS R. AGNEW, Murray and Greenwich sts., New-York.

NEURALGIC PAINS AT ONCE SOOTHED—permanently cured by HYATT'S Swiss Liniment, a true and certain remedy for Ache or Pain, [illegible]. Sold by all Druggists. Depot, [illegible]

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Messrs. DABNEY, MORGAN & CO., No. 53 Exchange-place, and M. K. JESUP & COMP'Y, No. 12 Pine-st., New-York, offer for sale the BONDS of the KANSAS PACIFIC RAILWAY. These Bonds pay SEVEN PER CENT. IN GOLD; have thirty years to run; are Free from Government Taxation; are secured by a Land Grant of Three Million Acres of the Finest Lands in Kansas and Colorado. In addition to this special grant the Company also owns Three Millions of Acres in Kansas, which are being rapidly sold to develop the country and improve the road. They are a first mortgage upon the extension of the road from Sheridan, Kansas, to Denver, Colorado. The road in operation now *earns more than enough net income to pay the interest on the new loan.* There is no better security in the market—this being in some respects better than Government Securities. *Principal and Interest payable in Gold.* Price 96, and accrued Interest in Currency. Pamphlets, Maps and Circulars furnished on application.

WINTER OPENING OF MILLINERY. A. T. STEWART & CO. WILL MAKE ON THURSDAY, OCT. 28, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M., THEIR WINTER OPENING OF BONNETS AND ROUND HATS, BOTH OF FRENCH AND THEIR OWN EXCLUSIVE STYLES. EVERY ARTICLE EXHIBITED ON THAT DAY WILL BE SHOWN FOR THE FIRST TIME. They specially invite attention to their stock of UNTRIMMED HATS and to their very elegant assortment of FRENCH AND ENGLISH FEATHERS AND FLOWERS, the former embracing the plumages of the most beautiful ENGLISH AND ORIENTAL BIRDS, VIZ., OSPREY, BLACK COCK, RAVEN, JAY, GULL, HACKLE, GOLD AND SILVER PHEASANTS, PEACOCK, GREBE, HERON, CORMORANT, JUNGLE FOWL, ARGUS AND IMPYANE, As well as many other beautiful TRIMMINGS AND ORNAMENTS CONNECTED WITH THIS DEPARTMENT. BROADWAY, 4TH-AV. AND 10TH-ST.

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BEEBE'S RANGES. The best cooking apparatus for family use; durable, economical and sure bakers. Made, put up, and warranted by JAMES, KIRTLAND & CO., [illegible]

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Total Issue ... $2,000,000
Capital Stock ... 3,000,000

The Bonds are a first mortgage on the railway, its rolling stock, depots, machine shops, lands, and the entire property of the Company.

LENGTH AND TOPOGRAPHY. The road is 117 5-100 miles in length, the only East and West line connecting the Cities of Danville, Urbana, Bloomington and Pekin on the line of the old Emigrant Road. This section has been justly named the Garden of the West, and is noted for its large agricultural and manufacturing products, also for its valuable mines of coal. The local business will make the line a FIRST-CLASS PAYING ROAD.

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COMPLETION OF THE ROAD. The road is being rapidly constructed, all graded and bridged, the track laying at the rate of one mile per day, all the iron and a large amount of rolling stock provided. The whole road WILL BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE 1ST OF JANUARY NEXT.

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